

HE FELT LOVE WITH A PICTURE

Young Tennessean Won East St. Louis Girl Whose Likeness Attracted Him.

WEDDING ONCE DELAYED

Illness of Judge Lantz, Father of Bride, Caused Postponement Last Month.

With an unusual romance followed by a postponement of marriage, W. Morris Miles of Union City, Tenn., and Miss Ella Lantz of East St. Louis were married Monday night at the residence of the bride's parents and left Tuesday morning for a honeymoon trip to Nashville, Tenn., and other Southern points, after which they will make their home in Union City.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. F. Harmon of the First Methodist Church of East St. Louis, and its most picturesque figure was the bride's father, Judge William D. Lantz, who was able for the first time Monday to sit up after an illness following an accident a month ago, which caused the wedding to be postponed.

At that time Judge Lantz was stricken with paralysis on the railroad platform at Cherryvale, Kan., falling and receiving serious injuries which for a few days caused his life to be imperiled. Since then he has been at home, 111 St. Louis avenue, Mr. Miles, a rising lawyer of Union City, Tenn., arrived in East St. Louis Monday morning, in response to a telegram from his sweet heart announcing that her father was sufficiently recovered to permit of the marriage taking place.

In Love With Picture. The romance between the two began about a year ago, when Miss Lantz was attending a college in Illinois. One of her college mates married after graduation and Miss Lantz served as a bridesmaid. Her picture appeared in the college paper and it so happened that the parents of young Miles, whose father is a physician in the college town and sent him a copy of the paper containing the picture and account of the wedding.

The young Tennessean promptly fell in love with the picture and, coming to East St. Louis shortly after, managed to make the acquaintance of Judge Lantz, who was favorably impressed by the picture and was invited to Sunday dinner at the Lantz home.

There he met the original of the picture that had so attracted him and he at once began a vigorous courtship. The marriage now just solemnized is the happy result.

HE KILLED MAN WITH HIS FIST

One Blow by Joseph Norman Between the Eyes Caused Death of Otto Frank.

Joseph Norman, a negro, held to answer for the death of Otto Frank, says he only struck Frank one blow with his fist.

Norman is a teamster, 35 years old, of powerful build, although never a prizefighter, he can strike a heavy blow.

Both men have been staying at Frankmann's boarding house, 4201 Manchester avenue, Friday night, according to Norman, Frank, employed at a brickyard, was drinking and was drunk as Norman passed through the yard at the boarding house, Frank asked him to have a drink, he says and he declined. This angered Frank, who applied an epithet to Norman and struck at him.

Norman says he struck Frank once between the eyes with his fist. Frank did not even fall. Norman went to his room. Saturday night he went to Frank's room and saw him lying on the floor face downward, dead.

At the inquest, Norman was held for the death of Frank.

Norman is 24 years old. He weighs 170 pounds and is 5 feet 9 inches in height.

PAROLED BOY IS BACK IN PRISON

Young Courtwright, Released Six Weeks Ago by Gov. Folk, Returned.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 12.—The first violator of a parole has been returned to the State Penitentiary here, he is Roy Courtwright, the youth whose conditional pardon six weeks ago attracted a great deal of attention.

He was sentenced under an assumed name, but was finally found by his mother, who secured a parole on the promise that he would be kept at home. A few days ago a burglary occurred in Kansas City and it was traced to young Courtwright and two companions.

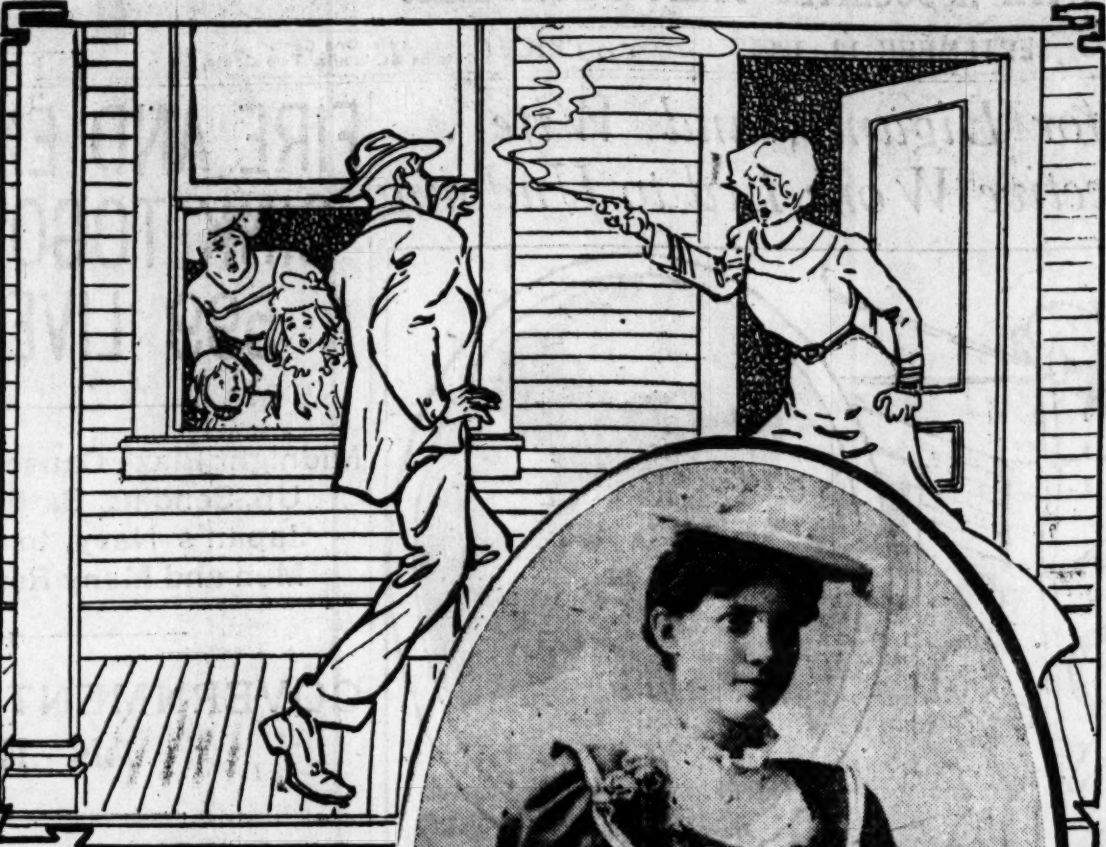
He will be compelled to serve the remainder of his sentence on the old charge, and will be prosecuted on the new one when his term expires. His father states that he will make no further effort to secure his release.

The case of the Courtwright had attracted a great deal of attention at the time of the parole. He was missing from home for several months and his parents knew nothing of his whereabouts. The fact that he had given another name when placed on trial caused many to give him sympathy, and when a conditional pardon was given by the Governor there was general satisfaction.

HORSE FELL ON HER.

Miss Mabel Milliken, 18 years old, of 3 North Eighth street, East St. Louis, was thrown from a horse Monday evening at Eighth street and caught between the horse and the curb. She was riding north on Eighth street and as the horse was made into Baugh avenue the horse stumbled and fell, throwing her and falling on top of her. She is not seriously hurt.

Woman Who Shot Brother-in-Law and the Scene of the Tragedy.



WOMAN AIDING SISTER, SHOT HER HUSBAND

"If I Hadn't, He Would Have Killed Sister and Me," She Says.

DEATH IS NOW EXPECTED

Wounded Man's Wife Sought Protection From Him at Sister's.

HE WENT TO SEE HER

Mrs. Josephine Maze Saw Him Coming, Got Pistol and Fired.

Physicians have removed a portion of the brain from the skull of Henry Selp of Edwardsville, Ill., who was shot through the head Monday night by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Josephine Maze, at her home on Commercial street in Edwardsville. Little hope is held out for his recovery, and his death is expected.

The shooting occurred at 9:15 p. m. on the front porch at Mrs. Maze's home, while Selp was trying to force his wife to return with him to his home.

Mrs. Selp clung to a porch post desperately, and while her husband fought with her Mrs. Maze rushed into the house, and returning with a revolver, ordered her brother-in-law to leave the yard.

He refused, and releasing his wife, turned and rushed at Mrs. Maze. When a foot from her she raised the revolver and fired. The powder singed his hair. The bullet entered his forehead over the left eye and passed through his head. It came out behind his left ear.

Calmly Puts Away Pistol. Mrs. Selp rushed to her unconscious husband and held her hand over the gaping wound. Mrs. Maze returned to the house with the revolver, while a policeman took charge of the wounded man.

Mrs. Maze, while busy with her household duties, complacently told the story of the shooting to a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday.

"I am sorry I had to shoot my sister's husband, but I know he would have killed me if I hadn't," she said. "He had been drinking when he came home Monday night. He was drunk and treated my sister that I have had her come and live with me."

I never dreamed of shooting him when I went in to get the revolver. I thought I would frighten him and he would leave, but he would have killed me because he is a desperate man when he drinks. He has threatened to kill me and we are all afraid of him.

Monday night he came to the front porch and asked for Mrs. Selp. My sister told him she would not return home with him. He begged and pleaded and finally caught hold of her arm. I thought I would frighten him with the revolver, so I ran into the house to get it. When I came out he rushed at me and I shot him in self-defense.

When seen at her home, to which she had returned, Mrs. Selp, wife of the



MRS. JOSEPHINE MAZE.

wounded man, said that her husband would have killed her sister if she had not shot him.

"I know Josephine shot him to save herself," said Mrs. Selp. "He beat me so Monday afternoon when he returned from work that I took the children and went to my sister's."

At the time of the shooting the children were asleep and did not see it. I am glad they did not awaken.

I hope he recovers, for he is a good man when he does not drink."

Selp is 32 years old and works as a blacksmith in a coal mine near Edwardsville. Mrs. Maze is 26 years old and is very pretty. She is a tall blonde and lived in St. Louis until a few years ago.

After relating the story of the shooting Mrs. Maze denied the rumor current in Edwardsville that she practiced shooting with a revolver Monday afternoon while driving near the coal mine where Selp works. Some one reported that they had seen her shooting at a target on a tree several miles out of Edwardsville. She said that she was accustomed to shooting when she lived on the farm, but that she had not shot any for seven years.

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WOMAN BANDIT RUN DOWN BY A POSSE

Notorious Josie Wilson of "Robbers' Roost" Gang in Utah Caught.

LED CHASE 100 MILES

Male Companion Also Arrested—Highway Robberies and Thefts Aroused Citizens.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 12.—At a revolver point Josie Wilson, a woman bandit who robbed men and stole stock with members of the Robbers' Roost gang, was captured by a posse after a hundred-mile chase through the mountain canyons and across the eastern Utah desert.

The woman and John Jones, her male companion, were brought back to Vernal yesterday.

Josie has been identified with robbers for several years. She came from Colorado and joined the gang with a man said to be the prisoner, who gives his name as Jones.

In man's attire she rode out with them, sharing the excitement of their crimes and the pleasure of the chase. During several weeks past the woman has been operating near Vernal with Jones.

A series of hold highway robberies and stock thefts are charged to their account. The victims in the former crimes were always homesteaders attracted to the Utah Reservation. The boldness of the stock thefts surpassed anything that has ever occurred in that section, the animals being sometimes taken from almost under the nose of their owners.

The climax came when several horses in the Asa Avery pack train were driven away from inside Vernal's town limits in the daytime.

Good Old Wagon, But—
After 24 years of service in the St. Louis Fire Department, a chemical engine which has been of recent years in the house at Carondelet was sold by the department Monday to B. Dauber & Son, second-hand dealers, at 409 South Fourth street, for \$75.

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A LETTER TO THE READERS.

63 COTTAGE ST., MELROSE, MASS.

Dear Sir, JAN. 11, 1904.

"Ever since I was in the Army, I had more or less kidney trouble, and within the last year it became so severe and complicated that I suffered everything and was much alarmed—my strength and power was fast leaving me. I saw an advertisement of Swamp-Root, and wrote asking for advice. I began the use of the medicine and noted a decided improvement after taking Swamp-Root only a short time.

I continued its use and am thankful to say that I am entirely cured and strong. In order to be very sure about this, I had a doctor examine some of my water today and he pronounced it all right and in splendid condition.

I know that your Swamp-Root is purely vegetable and does not contain any harmful drugs. Thanking you for my complete recovery and recommending Swamp-Root to all sufferers, I am,

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ITS A WORLD BEATER! OUR MAMMOTH SALE OF NEW DRESS GOODS

Thousands of yards! Marvelous offers! The handsomest Fall Dress Goods ever on a St. Louis counter! Plenty still left for Wednesday, but don't wait longer! Even 60,000 yards can't long withstand such buying assaults as were made on them Monday and today!

35c English Cashmeres for 19c
Best quality English Cashmere, the "F. F. Double F." grade in myrtle, hunter's greens, olive greens, Alice blues, cadet blues, Nile greens, sky blue, ciel, pinks, etc.; these Cashmeres are 36 inches wide and are sold everywhere at 35c and 39c a yard; in this sale for..... 19c

48c All-Wool Nuns' Veiling for 25c
These All-Wool French Batistes or Nuns' Veilings, in tan, ciel, pink, royal blue, beige, Nile green and cream, are worth 48c regularly; in this sale for..... 25c

1.00 Melange Suitings for 57c
46-inch double-toned Melange Suitings, in light grays, dark grays and navy blue tones—worth 1.00—in this sale for..... 57c

65c Imported Chailles for 48c
Fine French imported Chailles, in Persian, Oriental and Dresden printings, ring dots, spots, Roman and Dresden stripes and multicolor printings on dark and light grounds—Chailles worth 65c, 65c and 75c a yard—in this sale for..... 48c

89c Mannish Tailored Worsteds, 53c
These are 46 inches wide, on fine mesh Panama weaves—styles are the new phantom hairline checks in tan, navy blue, royal blue, Alice blue, wine, garnet and black and gray—worth 89c a yard—in this sale for..... 53c

2.00 Tourist Coatings at 69c
These are 52 inches wide, in dark Oxford or black and white effects, in subdued tones—regular \$2.00 values—in this sale for..... 69c

65c English Worsteds for 27c
These are Hard-Finished Worsteds—smooth surface—with overlaid invisible checks—very stylish and serviceable—colors are the new grays, modes, tans and beige—goods worth 65c—in this sale for..... 27c

1.25 Mannish Worsteds Suitings, 49c
54 inches wide, in dark ground colorings, with a subdued plaid or check overeffect—some in all the new fall greens, navies, royal, grays, Oxfords, browns, tans, reseed, olive, etc.—a \$1.25 value for..... 49c

1.00 Crepe de Chines for 43c
These are All-Wool Crepe de Chines with a very decided crepe weave—43 inches wide—colors are rose pink, coral pink, reds and wine colors—goods worth regularly 1.00 per yard—in this sale for..... 43c

89c Mannish Striped Worsteds, 53c
These are unfinished Worsteds or smooth-finished Chevots, 46 inches wide, in subdued broken striped effects—very smart and mannish looking—navy blue, royal blue, dark Alice, seal brown, Havana brown, etc.—worth 89c—in this sale for..... 53c

1.00 Imported French Twills, 59c
These are 46 inches wide, in plain solid Twills of very fine weave, with a subdued white hairline stripe on grounds of navy, royal, tans, browns, grays, cadet, wine, garnet—worth 1.00—in this sale for..... 59c

1.25 Covert Melrose for 72c
These are 46 inches wide, in plain Covert Melrose and Herringbone weaves—Oxford, medium grays, tan and brown—worth 1.25—in this sale for..... 72c

IT'S ROOM, NOT PROFITS WE NEED NOW, SO OUT WITH THESE NEW SUITS, JACKETS, SKIRTS, ETC.

We're remodeling this entire department—enlarging it and replacing the old fixtures with new ones—and we need room badly! This is how we make it!

Early Autumn Coat Suits AT JUST HALF PRICE.

All our medium-weight Fall Suits, suitable for now, made of fine Mohair Sicilians, in all colors and in light and medium mixtures. Regular prices, \$25.00, \$29.75, \$33.50, \$35.00, \$37.50, \$45.00, \$50.00 and \$55.00. Sale Prices, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$16.75, \$17.50, \$18.75, \$22.50, \$25.00 and \$27.50.

Women's Stylish Rain Coats

A splendid chance to prepare for the fall rains now due and to save money while doing so. \$15.00 Rain Coats, with fancy piping; special sale price..... \$7.95 \$18.00 well Covert Rain Coats at..... \$10.75 \$22.00 fine English Rain Coats at..... \$12.75

Fall Wraps and Jackets

Just what you need; just when you need it. \$7.50 pretty Tan Covert Jackets for..... \$5.00 \$10.00 fine Covert Jackets for..... \$7.95 \$12.75 English Covert Jackets for..... \$10.00 \$15.00 Silk Wraps—all colors..... \$6.95 \$15.00 Silk Wraps—all colors..... \$9.72 \$20.00 46-inch Silk Pad-ock Coats..... \$15.75

Separate Skirts—New Styles

Including a complete line of extra sizes— \$6.95 Skirts—men's wear mixtures..... \$3.50 \$7.50 Pleated Panama and Cheviot Skirts..... \$5.00 \$10.00 new Knee Pleated Skirts at..... \$6.95 \$12.00 and \$15.00 Taffeta Silk Skirts..... \$10.00 \$18.75 cluster-pleated Velle Skirts—taffeta-lined—very well..... \$15.00

OUR ANNUAL SALE OF RESEWN TREFOUSSE GLOVES

THOUSANDS OF PAIRS SACRIFICED! Tried-on gloves, soiled gloves and resewn gloves, odd pairs, etc. Both women's and girls' sizes.

A wonderful bargain collection that's been accumulating for months! The renowned Trefoousse Kid Gloves, that sell regularly at \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.85 and \$2.00 a pair! Wednesday at..... 57c

SOMETHING UNPRECEDENTED!

Cut prices on new, fresh millinery right at the threshold of the new season! But we haven't sufficient room for it, so there's nothing else to be done—it must be sold at once! A THOUSAND NEW FALL HATS MUST GO AS FOLLOWS:

A lot of smart, chic \$2.00 Street Hats now marked..... 95c Handsome, stylish \$3.00 Hats offered at only..... \$1.95 Beautiful \$4.00 Hats; regular \$5.00 styles; now..... \$2.95 Regular \$5.00 Hats; many by our own artists; at..... \$3.95

BIG SAVINGS ON BULKY GOODS!

An instantaneous and decided success! Our extraordinary room-making sales of Dress Goods, Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Lace Curtains and Bedding have created the most enthusiastic response from thousands of shrewd buyers! And we're not done yet! Here are more offers for Wednesday of the same irresistible sort that crowded every floor of our big store Monday and is crowding it again today.

A ROUSING BIG SALE OF FRESH, NEW LACE CURTAINS

If you need Curtains here's your opportunity! Visit our third floor tomorrow for these.

Ruffled Swiss Curtains of white organdie—deep ruffle and 5 rows tucks. Worth \$1.00; per pair..... 56c

Ruffled Swiss Curtains, with lace and insertion; others with lace stripes, bow knots, wreaths or fancy figures. Worth \$1.25; choice, per pair..... 79c

Ruffled Swiss Curtains, with Renaissance lace and insertion. Worth \$1.75; per pair..... \$1.19

Nottingham Curtains; 54 inches wide, 4 yards long; Arabian designs. Worth \$2.00; at, per pair..... \$1.29

\$3.50 Nottingham Curtains, 54 and 60 inches wide; Battenberg and fishnet designs. Worth \$3.50; at..... \$2.17

Cable Net and Brussels Weave Curtains, in Arabian and Renaissance designs. Worth \$4.50; sale price, per pair..... \$2.98

Simese Curtains, 60 inches wide and 3 yards long; in one piece but has the effect of a pair; worth \$1.00; at, each..... 55c

Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, with crochet lace edge and insertion. Worth \$2.00; at, per pair..... \$1.23

Bonne Femme Curtains, in Arabian color; fine woven mesh; deep lace flounces; 3 1/2 yards long; Worth \$4.50; each..... \$1.68

Real Irish Point Curtains, in novel effects. Worth \$3.75; sale price, per pair..... \$2.25

Real Irish Point Curtains, with heavy corded edge; worth \$5.00; at, per pair..... \$3.39

Real Irish Point Curtains, mounted on French bobbinet, with heavy cushion work. Worth \$11.00; sale price, per pair..... \$7.35

The new French "Brise Brie" Curtains; can be used as sash curtain for lower sash; also as door panel; made of finest Irish Point Lace. Worth \$1.50; each..... 49c

Nottingham Lace Curtains in Point d'Esprit and novelty designs. Worth \$1.00; per pair..... 63c

Nottingham Curtains in Cluny and Renaissance effects; 54 inches wide and 3 1/2 yards long; Worth \$1.50; sale price,..... 98c

Hand-made Arabian Color Cluny Curtains, on cable net, with hemmed band. Worth \$5.00; at..... \$3.85

Real Renaissance Bed Sets, mounted on French cable net, with meditation center and four lace meditation corners; deep lace trimmed flounce; cover for roll to match. Worth \$6.50; per set..... \$4.95

WOMAN BANDIT RUN DOWN BY A POSSE

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LED CHASE 100 MILES

Male Companion Also Arrested—Highway Robberies and Thefts Aroused Citizens.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 12.—At a revolver's point Josie Wilson, a woman bandit who robbed men and stole stock with members of the Robbers' Roost gang, was captured by a posse after a hundred-mile chase through the mountain canyons and across the eastern Utah desert.

The woman and John Jones, her male companion, were brought back to Vernal yesterday.

Josie has been identified with robbers for several years. She came from Colorado and joined the gang with a man said to be the prisoner, who gives his name as Jones.

In man's attire she rode out with them, sharing the excitement of their crimes and the plunder.

During several weeks past, the woman has been operating near Vernal with Jones.

A series of bold highway robberies and stock thefts are charged to their account. The victims in the former crimes were always horsemen.

Attracted to the Utah Reservation, the boldness of the stock thefts surpassed anything that had ever occurred in that section, the animals being sometimes taken from almost under the nose of their owners.

The climax came when several horses in the Asa Avery pack train were driven away from inside Vernal's town limits in the daytime.

Good Old Wagon, But—

After 24 years of service in the St. Louis Fire Department, a chemical engine which has been in service for 24 years in the house at Carondelet was sold by the department Monday to B. Dauber & Son, second-hand dealers, at 409 South Fourth street, for \$75.

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Of any ailment of the Stomach, Liver, Bowels or Kidneys, very quickly if you'll only resort to the Bitters at the first symptom. Thousands have found this true during the past 50 years.

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ITS A WORLD BEATER! OUR MAMMOTH SALE OF NEW DRESS GOODS

Thousands of yards! Marvelous offers! The handsomest Fall Dress Goods ever on a St. Louis counter! Plenty still left for Wednesday, but don't wait longer! Even 60,000 yards can't long withstand such buying assaults as were made on them Monday and today!

- 35c English Cashmeres for 19c**
Best quality English Cashmere, the "F. F. Double F." grade in myrtle, hunter's greens, olive greens, Alice blues, cadet blues, Nile greens, sky blue, ciel, pinks, etc.; these Cashmeres are 36 inches wide and are sold everywhere at 35c and 39c a yard; in this sale for..... **19c**
- 48c All-Wool Nuns' Veiling for 25c**
These All-Wool French Batistes or Nuns' Veilings, in tan, ciel, pink, royal blue, beige, Nile green and cream, are worth 48c regularly; in this sale..... **25c**
- \$1.00 Melange Suitings for 57c**
46-inch double-toned Melange Suitings, in light grays, dark grays and navy blue tones—worth \$1.00—in this sale..... **57c**
- 65c Imported Challies for 48c**
Fine French imported Challies, in Persian, Oriental and Dresden printings, ring dots, spots, Roman and Dresden stripes and multi-color printings on dark and light grounds—Challies worth 55c, 65c and 75c a yard—in this sale for..... **48c**
- 89c Mannish Tailored Worsteds, 53c**
These are 46 inches wide, in fine mesh Panama weaves—styles are the new phantom hairline checks in tan, navy blue, royal blue, Alice blue, wine, garnet and black and gray—worth 89c a yard—in this sale for..... **53c**
- \$2.00 Tourist Coatings at 69c**
These are 52 inches wide, in dark Oxford or black and white effects, in subdued tones—regular \$2.00 values—in this sale..... **69c**
- 65c English Worsteds for 27c**
These are Hard-Finished Worsteds—smooth surface—with overlaid invisible checks—very stylish and serviceable—colors are the new grays, modes, tans and beige—goods worth 65c—in this sale for..... **27c**
- \$1.25 Mannish Worsteds Suitings, 49c**
54 inches wide, in dark ground colorings, with a subdued plaid or check overeffect—some in all the new fall greens, navies, royals, grays, Oxfords, browns, tans, reeds, olive, etc.—\$1.25 value for..... **49c**
- \$1.00 Crepe de Chines for 43c**
These are All-Wool Crepe de Chines with a very decided crepe weave—42 inches wide—colors are rose pink, coral pink, reds and wine colors—goods worth regularly \$1.00 per yard—in this sale for..... **43c**
- 89c Mannish Striped Worsteds, 53c**
These are unfinished Worsteds or smooth-finished Chevrons, 46 inches wide, in subdued broken striped effects—very smart and mannish looking—navy blue, royal blue, dark Alice, seal brown, Havana brown, etc.—worth 89c—in this sale for..... **53c**
- \$1.00 Imported French Twills, 59c**
These are 46 inches wide, in plain solid Twills of very fine weave, with a subdued white hairline stripe on grounds of navy, royal, tans, browns, grays, cadet, wine, garnet—worth \$1.00—in this sale at..... **59c**
- \$1.25 Covert Melrose for 72c**
These are 46 inches wide, in plain Covert Melrose and Herringbone weaves—Oxford, medium grays, tan and brown—worth \$1.25—in this sale for..... **72c**
- \$1.00 Embroidered Wool Waistings, 48c**
An immense assortment of colorings and styles in silk embroidered dots, motifs and designs, on fine all-wool Melrose, Panama and serge grounds—goods worth 75c and \$1 per yard; in the new fall colorings, such as reeds, grays, Alice blues and all the new scarce shades—sale..... **48c**
- \$1.00 Invisible Checked Worsteds, 57c**
Small invisible check Worsteds in myrtle greens, olive, Havana, seal brown, navy blue and royal—46 inches wide—worth \$1.00—sale price..... **57c**
- \$1.00 Cream Panamas for 59c**
46-inch fine close-weave of Panama, in best quality, made of Angora wool—worth \$1.00 per yard—in this sale at..... **59c**
- \$1.00 Black and White Suitings, 45c**
Handsome, smooth finish hard-twisted Worsteds Suitings—in black and white effects—black grounds with small flecks of white—regular \$1.00 goods—in this sale..... **45c**
- \$2.00 English Curl Worsteds for 69c**
These are 48 inches wide—handsome English Curl Worsteds for the long tourist coats—colors are grays and white, green and white or blue and white—\$2.00 goods for only..... **69c**
- \$1.50 Striped Coverts for 83c**
These are 56 inches wide—mannish effects in subdued broken stripes, in tans, greens, browns, blues, grays, Oxfords, reeds and black mixtures—ideal fabric for the long raincoats or tailored suits—worth \$1.50 a yard—in this sale for..... **83c**

IT'S ROOM, NOT PROFITS WE NEED NOW, SO OUT WITH THESE NEW SUITS, JACKETS, SKIRTS, ETC.

We're remodeling this entire department—enlarging it and replacing the old fixtures with new ones—and we need room badly! This is how we make it!

- Early Autumn Coat Suits AT JUST HALF PRICE.**
All our medium-weight Fall Suits, suitable for now, made of fine Mohair Sicilians, in all colors and in light and medium mixtures.
Regular prices, \$25.00, \$29.75, \$33.50, \$35.00, \$37.50, \$45.00, \$50.00 and \$55.00.
Sale Prices, \$12.50, \$14.88, \$17.50, \$18.75, \$22.50, \$25.00 and \$27.50.
- Women's Stylish Rain Coats**
A splendid chance to prepare for the fall rains now due and to save money while doing so.
\$15.00 Rain Coats, with fancy piping; special sale..... **\$7.95**
\$18.00 well Covert Rain Coats..... **\$10.75**
\$22.00 fine English Rain Coats..... **\$12.75**
- Fall Wraps and Jackets**
Just what you need; just when you need it.
\$7.50 pretty Tan Covert..... **\$5.00**
\$10.00 fine Covert Jackets..... **\$7.95**
\$12.75 English Covert Jacket..... **\$10.00**
\$15.00 Silk Wraps—all colors..... **\$6.95**
\$15.00 Silk Wraps—all colors..... **\$9.72**
\$25.00 46-inch Silk Pad-dock Coats..... **\$15.75**
- Separate Skirts—New Styles**
Including a complete line of extra sizes.
\$6.95 Skirts—men's wear mixtures..... **\$3.50**
\$7.50 Pleated Panama and Cheviot Skirts..... **\$5.00**
\$10.00 new Knee Pleated Skirts..... **\$6.95**
\$12.00 and \$15.00 Taffeta Skirts..... **\$10.00**
\$18.75 cluster-pleated Voile Skirts—taffeta-lined—very swell..... **\$15.00**

OUR ANNUAL SALE OF RESEWN TREFOUSSE GLOVES THOUSANDS OF PAIRS SACRIFICED!

Tried-on gloves, soiled gloves and resewn gloves, odd pairs, etc. Both women's and girls' sizes.

A wonderful bargain collection that's been accumulating for months! The renowned Trefoousse Kid Gloves, that sell regularly at \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.85 and \$2.00 a pair! Wednesday at..... **57c**

SOMETHING UNPRECEDENTED!

Cut prices on new, fresh millinery right at the threshold of the new season! But we haven't sufficient room for it, so there's nothing else to be done—it must be sold at once! A THOUSAND NEW FALL HATS MUST GO AS FOLLOWS:

- A lot of smart, chic \$2.00 Street Hats now marked..... **95c**
- Handsome, stylish \$3.00 Hats offered at only..... **\$1.95**
- Beautiful \$4.00 Hats; regular \$5.00 styles; now..... **\$2.95**
- Regular \$5.00 Hats; many by our own artists; at..... **\$3.95**

A ONE-DAY OFFER IN SILK PETTICOATS!

Remember, this is for Wednesday only—two styles—handsome Petticoats in black and colors—made from silk that retails at one dollar a yard—shirred or tucked flounces—we've been selling them regularly at \$5.00 each—we offer them Wednesday (only one to a customer, though)..... **\$3.95**

ART GOODS

- Fancy Baskets—In assorted shapes and sizes, with hand-painted tops—25c ones..... **15c**
- Pillow Tops—Tapestry Tops in pretty designs—made to sell for 50c—Wednesday..... **25c**
- Fancy Tinted Pillow Tops—With backs—many styles—worth 50c—your choice at..... **29c**
- Pin Cushions—Imported ones, in new and novel styles—special bargain at..... **25c**
- Heavy Silk Cord and Tassel—For sofa pillows, etc.—various colors—should be 75c each—our Wednesday price..... **45c**

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Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.

BIG SAVINGS ON BULKY GOODS!

An instantaneous and decided success! Our extraordinary room-making sales of Dress Goods, Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Lace Curtains and Bedding have created the most enthusiastic response from thousands of shrewd buyers! And we're not done yet! Here are more offers for Wednesday of the same irresistible sort that crowded every floor of our big store Monday and is crowding it again today.

A ROUSING BIG SALE OF FRESH, NEW LACE CURTAINS

If you need Curtains here's your opportunity! Visit our third floor tomorrow for these.

- Ruffled Swiss Curtains of white organdie—deep ruffle and 5 rows tucks. Worth \$1.00; per pair..... **56c**
- Ruffled Swiss Curtains, with lace and insertion; others with lace stripes, bow knots, wreaths or fancy figures. Worth \$1.25; choice, per pair..... **79c**
- Ruffled Swiss Curtains, with Raffanese lace and insertion. Worth \$1.75; per pair..... **\$1.19**
- Nottingham Curtains; 54 inches wide, 4 yards long; Arabian designs. Worth \$2.00; at, per pair..... **\$1.29**
- \$3.50 Nottingham Curtains, 54 and 60 inches wide; Battenberg and fishnet designs. Worth \$3.50; at..... **\$2.17**
- Cable Net and Brussels Weave Curtains, in Arabian and Renaissance designs. Worth \$4.50; sale price, per pair..... **\$2.98**
- Simese Curtains, 60 inches wide and 3 yards long; in one piece but has the effect of a pair; worth \$1.00; at, each..... **55c**
- Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, with crocheted lace edge and insertion. Worth \$2.00; at, per pair..... **\$1.23**
- Bonne Femme Curtains, in Arabian color; fine woven mesh; deep lace flounce; 3½ yards long; Worth \$4.50; each..... **\$1.68**
- Real Irish Point Curtains, in novelty effects. Worth \$3.75; sale price, per pair..... **\$2.25**
- Real Irish Point Curtains, with heavy corded edge; worth \$5.00; at, per pair..... **\$3.39**
- Real Irish Point Curtains, mounted

INDICTED MAN PAYS FINE OF \$1100

Prominent Stockman Pleads Guilty to Attempted Bribery in Murder Case.

WARRENSBURG, Mo., Sept. 12.—The action of Walter L. Jones, a prominent young stockman, in pleading guilty to the charge of attempted bribery and paying a fine of \$1100, has created a sensation here. This is one of the developments in the Hyatt case, in which the two Hyatt boys were convicted of murder and sentenced to 10 years in the Penitentiary.

As the result of information furnished by Jones, who at first plead not guilty, indictments on the same charge have been returned against W. C. Hyatt, father of the Hyatt boys; W. K. Mullins and C. D. Wallace, J. F. Corbin, the jurymen, who gave the information in the first place, which led to the summoning of the grand jury.

A report is that another prominent citizen is to be drawn into the net. Much interest is felt in the approaching trial of the men indicted.

LOOKING FOR WILLIAM MURPHY. Basil Murphy of Dallas, Tex., has come to St. Louis to try to find his brother, William Murphy, from whom he has not heard for ten years. William is a salesman 29 years old, and is supposed to be employed in St. Louis.

POST-DISPATCH NEWSBOY NO. 61.



SAM MORGAN, 109 EXCHANGE AVENUE, EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.

This hustling Post-Dispatch newsboy has been selling for Post-Dispatch for two months. Sam is 13 years of age and is in the fourth grade of the Emerson School.

As soon as the afternoon session is adjourned he hastens to the Post-Dispatch branch at St. Clair and Collinsville avenues for his daily supply of the Post-Dispatch. Sam sells copies of the Post-Dispatch to the employees of the Armour Packing House. He has also 42 regular customers in the neighborhood and is steadily increasing his list. Sam's earnings average \$1.25 a day.

New boys in this district in East St. Louis who want to make money selling the Post-Dispatch will have a good chance if they will call on Post-Dispatch Branch Manager James at St. Clair and Collinsville avenues.

Wounded Man Arrested.

When Alexander Coudy, 282 North Broadway presented himself at the North End Dispensary with a scalp wound, a bruised face and a lacerated

palm Monday night and told of having been attacked by two men as he was leaving Primerose's saloon at Mc-Kissack and Talcott avenues, the doctor pressed a button which brought a policeman and Coudy was locked up at the Sixth District Station, Ninth and

Angelica streets. He is still held there while his story is being investigated.

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Man Assaulted on Street.

Robert Muller, 44 years old, of 221 South Second street is at City Hospital with a fractured skull as the result of an assault committed at 1:15 a. m. Tues-

day at the corner of Second street and Clark avenue. He was not robbed and the motive for the attack is not known. The assault was seen by Mrs. John Wittinger of 37 South Second street. She says that a man, whose description she has given to the police, knocked

Muller down with a blunt instrument and then ran.

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50c Vests for 25c

WOMEN'S Swiss and 1x1 ribbed silk plaited Vests; low neck and sleeveless; silk tape neck and arms; plain or fancy embroidered yokes; in white, pink and blue; some a little soiled; regular 50c Vests. **25c**

(Main Floor.)

\$1.25 Umbrellas, 75c

WOMEN'S 26-inch Twilled Mercerized Silk Umbrellas; strictly fast black; steel rod; paragon frame; fancy silver, gilt, horn, Dresden and natural wood handles; \$1.25 values at **75c**

(Main Floor.)

GRAND LEADER

Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co.

FASTEST-GROWING STORE IN AMERICA.

Oak Costumers, 59c

A LITTLE more than 100 of these Oak Costumers for Wednesday's special selling. They are 67 inches high; made of oak; gloss finish; regular price \$1; on sale **59c**

(Fourth Floor.)

Silk Petticoats

MADE of extra heavy quality, guaranteed taffeta silk, with deep flounce, finished with accordion plaiting and small ruffle; in the newest fall shades and black; \$6.00 values **\$3.95**

(Second Floor.)

A Stupendous Sale of Silks and Dress Goods

Purchases aggregating \$75,000.00 on sale at remarkably low prices

A CLEAR SAVING OF ONE-THIRD ON THE NEWEST FALL WEAVES IN SILKS AND DRESS GOODS—that's the essence of this bargain news—some of the fabrics are but 20 per cent under price, on others you may save 40 per cent—but this saving is genuine and is reckoned according to our own standard of prices. This is one of the most remarkable sales we ever held, involving, as it does, the most staple fabrics which are offered at greatly reduced prices just when the season is beginning—scan this partial list of prices—it will give you an idea of how much you save.

Silks in Great Variety

39c White China Silk, 24 inch, at per yard **25c**
59c Fancy Taffeta Silk, all colors, per yard **39c**
69c Black Rustling Taffeta Silk, 19 in., yard **49c**
75c Small Plaid Taffeta Silk at per yard **49c**
\$1.00 Crepe de Chine, short lengths, yard **49c**
\$1.00 Black Mascot Silk, 20 inch, yard **59c**
75c Changeable Taffeta Silk, at per yard **59c**
98c Black Rustling Taffeta Silk, 27 in., yard **69c**
\$1.25 Black Peau de Soie Silk, 27 in., yard **85c**
\$1.25 Plaid Taffeta Silk, 27 inch, yard **85c**

Dress Goods--Blacks, Colors

65c Black All-wool Voiles, 44 inch, yard **39c**
65c Black and Col'd Storm Serge, 44 in., yd **49c**
75c Silk and Wool Plaids, 38 in., at per yard **49c**
75c Black Mohair Sicilian, 52 inch, yard **49c**
75c Cream All-wool Mistral, 44 inch, yard **49c**
75c French Serge, black and colors, 44 in., yd **59c**
85c All-wool Cheviot, all colors, 48 in., yd **60c**
98c All-wool Imperial Serge, 44 inch, yard **65c**
98c Black French Henrietta, 45 inch, yard **69c**
\$1.25 Black French Venetians, 52 in., yard **75c**
\$1.25 White and Col'd Silk Warp Eolienne, 75c

\$1.25 Black Cheviot, all wool, 50 in., yard **75c**
\$1.50 Tailor Check Suiting, 52 in., per yard **85c**
\$1.25 Black and Col'd Broadcloth, 52 in., yd **98c**

In Basement Dress Goods Section

35c Scotch Suiting, 36 inches wide, per yd **19c**
40c Black Jacquard, 40 inches wide, per yd **25c**
50c Black Seeded Voile, all wool, 38 in., yd **29c**
45c Henrietta, black and colors, 38 inch, yd **29c**
50c Granite Cloth, all colors, 42 inch, yard **39c**
50c All-wool Dress Flannels, black and colors, 39c
75c All-wool Ladies' Cloth, 50 inch, per yd **49c**
75c All-wool Gray Mixed Suiting, 52 in., yd **59c**

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To build back health.

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Special attention is asked to our offering of Ladies' Broadcloth Suits which have the "Piquin" jacket, pleated waist, fitted back and full flare skirt, 52 inches long—skirt of suit made with fancy semi-circular effect—warranted not to sag—colors plum, red, blue, brown, green and black; usual price is \$35.00—Special **\$29.50** on Wednesday.

You will appreciate our offerings of Broadcloth Suits made with long collarless coats and newest style skirts, tailored in our usual thorough manner, \$20.00 values to induce early buying, priced **\$15.00** Wednesday at.

Suits at the Price Unmatchable

Scotch tweed Suits, made with long-fitted jackets and new flare pleated skirts—priced for Wednesday much less than value **\$10.98**

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PISTOL AT HEAD OF VICTIM MISSES

Feudists on Train Snaps Trigger and Then Uses Hand on Enemy.

JOPLIN, Mo., Sept. 12.—T. L. Cloud of McElhenny and John A. Rogers of Neosho, met on a northbound Kansas City Southern train at Neosho, Mo., yesterday and a feud of long-standing came near resulting in a tragedy. Cloud was on the train when it reached Neosho and when Rogers climbed aboard he met him at the door. Holding Rogers in the blow-opened door he struck him several blows in the face. The latter, who is powerful, forced his way inside and soon overcame his assailant. Then Cloud reached in a back pocket. Rogers pulled a revolver from his pocket, placed the muzzle to the temple of Cloud and snapped the trigger repeatedly. It failed to discharge, however. Then Rogers used the handle of the pistol as a club and beat Cloud over the head until he was unconscious. Both men were arrested.

Cloud was once a school teacher at Neosho and punched one of Rogers' sons for which he was whipped by the father. Rogers is a member of the Rogers-Konkling Manufacturing Co. of Joplin. One of the Rogers boys once shot at Cloud and Mrs. Rogers gave him a horsewhipping when he attempted to stop a horse she was driving.

GREAT DAYS AT BARR'S.

At Autumn Opening, Magnificent Collections in All Lines Are Showing.

Everywhere in this extensive store are to be seen the latest importations from New York and Europe. Barr's furniture department on the third floor is an education in the art of house decorations. The rug section includes in its treasures some of the most exquisite Turkish and Persian patterns. The experience of years of buyers in this department is evident and all resources and facilities for extensive buying are behind the department. Goods are on display in this section in the decoration of Japanese, Turkish, Persian, Indian and oriental rooms. The East Indian embroideries are conceded by those able to judge to be as superb a collection as one could see anywhere.

The basement department includes home furnishings and rare works of art. The specialties here are the exclusive designs in dinner sets, cut glass and hand-painted china. In the latter department are found vases painted and signed by the masters of Europe. The showing of clocks, opera stock wear, Italian marbles and French bronzes is endless.

The millinery rooms are filled with dainty creations from Beer, Virol, Loube. All the new tones popular in autumn millinery are to be seen in the cases. Black and white combinations are still in vogue. Dead leaf green, sage blue shades, stone gray, plum mulberry and metallic effects are some of the new combinations. The display of automobile hats, toques and veils is beautiful.

The silk and dress goods sections rank as leaders in St. Louis. These departments are perfectly equipped and well lighted. Every variety of goods known to the weaver's art is shown in the goods placed on the counters for inspection of customers.

Fashion has especially approved of laces this season, both light and delicate and again heavy and rich effects are in demand. Heavy laces will be used largely for dressy waists. Many of the most exclusive dresses and waists are being made of allover heavy laces of which baby Irish will be one of the most pronounced favorites. The lighter laces will be used for lingerie, yokes and sleeves. Barr's lace buyers, who have recently returned from their annual trips abroad, have been followed by their wares from the lace centers of Europe. The display in the lace section also includes black spangled robes, galleons, bands, appliques and allover effects.

The gown and coat section is attractive with the display of pretty reception, the delicate pastel tones in combination laces and silks are displayed for the inspection of visitors. Some of the novelties included in this department are Piccadilly, paddock and empire coats.

Good Printing Pays. We do it—any description. We deliver on time. Greeley Printery of St. Louis. S. J. Harbaugh, President.

SURPRISE FOR MR. HORVILLIUR. Seventy-five salesmen in the clothing department of the Globe, Seventh and Franklin avenues, gathered around their manager, Mr. David Horvillieur at 3:30 this morning. One of their number made a neat speech, presenting him with a beautiful gold cane as a testimonial of their esteem. Mr. Horvillieur is about to leave for an extended tour through Europe and every clothing man, some of whom have been associated with him for 25 years, joined in wishing him Godspeed. It was a complete surprise to Mr. Horvillieur, who responded gracefully.

12½c and 15c Handkerchiefs, 5c

WOMEN'S fine quality pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs; all widths of hems; also men's best quality Batiste Handkerchiefs; assorted hems; slightly oil stained; 12½c and 15c quantities; on special sale **5c**

WEDNESDAY at (Main Floor and Basement Departments.)

MEN'S splendid quality pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs; all widths of hems; 20c each; at **10c**

WOMEN'S pure linen Handkerchiefs, with hand embroidered initials and designs; 25c values for **12½c**

Women's \$1.75 Petticoats, \$1.25

PETTICOATS of fine Mercerized Satene and Moreen; sunburst style; accordion plaited flounce finished with small ruffle; others umbrella style; accordion plaited flounce finished with 2 or 3 small ruffles; cut extra full and wide; in brown, red, green and black; \$1.75 values **\$1.25**

Special Sale of Cash Boxes

CASH Boxes, made of heavy tin; janneped; sunken handles; good brass lock; two keys; at special prices.

Size 8½-inch **29c**
Size 9½-inch **39c**
Size 10½-inch **49c**
Size 11½-inch **59c**
Size 13-inch **69c**

BREAD and Butter Plates of German china; prettily decorated; gold stippled edge; never sold for less than 10c each; on sale from 8 to 10 Wednesday, on fourth floor, at **5c**

Exceptionally Strong Values In Laces and Lace Novelties

POINT Gauze Lace Stocks, with incrustations of Baby Irish Lace; very beautiful patterns; worth 35c each; on sale **19c**

ORIENTAL Laces; suitable for hat trimming, waist and dress trimming; worth 25c a yard, at **10c**

CHIFFON and Liberty Silk Ruffs and Capes; in black only; worth \$5 each **\$2.49**

45-INCH Drapery Nets for evening dresses in black, white and cream; **49c**

worth \$1.25 a yard **49c**

45-INCH Chiffon; all colors; 50c quality; per yard **25c**

(Basement, Lace Department.)

WASH Blond, in white and black Drapery Net; 42 inches wide—worth 25c a yard—**5c**

VAL and Point de Paris Laces; up to 6 inches wide; worth 25c a yard—**10c**

FRENCH Val Laces, Edging and Inserting; from ½ to 1½ inches wide; worth 35c a dozen yards; at **15c**

45-INCH Chiffon; all colors; 50c quality; per yard **25c**

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We Announce for Wednesday An Extraordinary Sale of Women's Tailor-Made Suits

\$12.50, \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 Values for \$5.00

SALE begins at promptly 8 o'clock Wednesday morning, and the chances are that the 127 Suits which we offer in this sale will sell out in less than an hour, so in order to participate in this most unusual bargain event you will have to leave an early call.

There is no question in our minds but what we could get double the price we are asking for these suits, even though they are last season's styles. The slight change of fashion will not hurt their appearance, nor prevent their giving excellent service. Most of them are gray fancy mixtures, in coat effects. Coats are lined with taffeta; there are a few chevrons, venetians, broadcloths, mohairs, Panamas and zibelins, plain tailored or fancy trimmed; styles are Eton, blouse, frocks and frills and coat effects; they come in solid blue, brown, green and a few blacks, also light and dark gray wool mixtures; suits that we originally sold for \$12.50, \$15, \$20 and \$25; a few of them are worth a little more; on sale at a price that hardly pays for the making. Following is a list of the sizes and quantities:

Sizes	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46
Quantities	11	15	32	26	33	8	1	1

Strong Reasons to Visit the Basement!

BROWN Linen Toweling—18 inches wide; heavy grade; worth 10c a yard; from 8 to 10, per yard **5c**

PLAIN Silk Mousseline de Soie—Large variety of colors; worth 20c a yard; from 8 to 10, per yard **10c**

CANTON Flannels—Good quality; unbleached; worth 7½c a yard; at **5c**

BLEACHED Muslin—Yard wide, soft finish; worth 9c a yard; at **6c**

ENGLISH Longcloth—Soft finish; 36 inches wide; worth 15c a yard; at **8½c**

ENGLISH Corduroy—Very heavy grade; worth 50c a yard; at **25c**

FINE Grade White Wool Flannels—Worth 40c a yard; from 8 to 10, per yard **25c**

SHAKER Flannels; soft fleeced; cream cotton; worth 6c a yard; from 8 to 10, per yard **3½c**

COTTON Eiderdown—Fancy figured; light and dark colors; for kimono and bath robes; worth 12½c a yard; at **9c**

COMFORT Prints—Fancy colored and fancy figures; worth 7½c a yard; at **5c**

3 O'Clock Special

FINE Quality Outing Flannels, in light colors; white with blue or pink woven stripes of different widths; absolutely fast colors; worth 10c a yard; on sale at 3 o'clock Wednesday, in basement, per yard **5c**

FLEECE Wrapper Flannellettes red; small figures; worth 10c a yard; from 8 to 10, per yard **5c**

SILKOLINE for Covering Comforts—Solid colors; 36 inches wide; worth 7½c a yard; from 8 to 10, per yard **4c**

CRETONNE—Heavy quality; large fancy patterns; worth 10c a yard; at **6c**

WOOL-MIXED Flannels—Fine quality; worth 30c a yard; at **19c**

SEERSUCKER GINGHAMS—Small blue and white checks and stripes; worth 10c a yard; at **7½c**

BOYS' Overalls—Of best quality blue denim, with bib and shoulder straps; sizes 4 to 8 years; worth 25c a pair; at **19c**

Opportunities for Economizing on Lace Curtains, Drapery

RUFFLED MUSLIN CURTAINS, with extra deep hemstitched ruffle; worth \$1.25; at **75c**

SCOTCH LACE CURTAINS; some 60 inches wide; 3½ yards long; many different patterns; about 300 pairs in the lot; worth up to \$1.50 a pair; **89c**

SCOTCH LACE CURTAINS in Renaissance, Irish Point and Brussels effects; worth to \$2.50 a pair; at **\$1.69**

DOOR PANELS of 3-ply cable net; with beautiful medallion center; worth 75c each; at **39c**

LAMBREQUIN DRAPES for mantels or pianos; of figured French Satene; nicely fringed; worth \$1; at **69c**

ORIENTAL TAPESTRY COUCH COVERS; 85c

RUFFLED BOBBINET for Sash Curtains; trimmed with real rennaissance lace insertion and edge; worth 25c a yard; at **15c**

REMANENTS OF FIGURED SILKOLINE; 36 inches wide; for bed comforts or mantel drapes; 12½c and 15c quantities; per yard **5c**

Full Concave Razors

At Fractional Prices

MEN who know good razors when they see them marvel at the values. These Razors were made in Sheffield, England, and Solingen, Germany, for various American manufacturers; that is, concerns who sell them under their own brand. These brands have been obliterated. If you desire to share in this unusual offering, choose at once, as they are selling very fast. On sale in two assortments.

Razors worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50, at **45c**
Razors worth from \$3.00 to \$5.00, at **69c**



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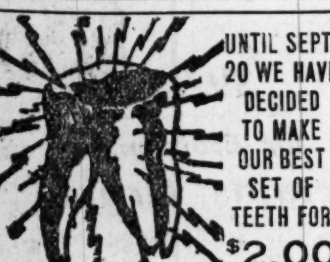
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WEALBONE PLATES.....\$2.50
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Kindles Only Fires of Wrath
for St. Louis Commuter at
Webster Groves.

WAGON DRIVER ARRESTED

Business Man Talks in "Court"
and Is Fined for Con-
tempt.

How much wood would a wood-chuck
chuck if a wood-chuck could chuck
wood? Is a question puzzling commuters
living in Webster Groves. The only so-
lution arrived at thus far is: Put a
"For Sale" sign on your house.
This may sound as foolish as the old
cheese by going into the cellar and
making a noise like a rat, but listen to
the story of a St. Louis business man.
Last Saturday Mr. Dodson Ridgeway,
one of the managers of the Sligo Iron
Store Co., who recently purchased a
very pretty home in Tuxedo boulevard,
Webster Groves, sent a wagonload of
kindling wood out home from his place
of business.

Mr. Ridgeway, who had decided to
be a resident of Webster Groves for
years to come, was congratulating him-
self over his good fortune, for the
wood had been given him gratis by the
iron company, likewise the wagon and
the services of the two men who hauled
the load. Visions of a cheering grate
fire all winter long at no cost were
Mr. Ridgeway's and again he shook
hands with himself.

"The Law" Appears.
Everything went smoothly until the
wagon reached Big Bend road, one of
the beautiful soft mud boulevards of
Webster Groves, where it was halted
by a deputy marshal.

"Where you goin', boys?" asked the
deputy, for he was "the law," and it
was his business to ask questions.
"Oh, we're just taking a load of kind-
ling up to Mr. Ridgeway's house," re-
plied the driver without stopping.

"In-law," muttered "the law," and
Mr. Ridgeway, eh? Well, I'm goin' up that
away myself, so I reckon I'll just ski-
daddle behind you."

The driver paid no further attention
until the law followed the wagon to
Mr. Ridgeway's place. The kindling
was unloaded and then to his great sur-
prise the driver was arrested and taken
before the justice of the peace.

"What's the charge?" asked the Jus-
tice when the deputy brought his pris-
oner in.
"Drivin' a wagon without a license,"
said "the law."

"No license, eh?" inquired the Jus-
tice.
"There's a St. Louis license on the
wagon but no Webster Groves license,"
replied "the law." "I know it because
I caught him in the act. I showed him
my star, too."

At this stage of the proceedings Mr.
Ridgeway himself put in an appear-
ance, protested when he heard of the
charge against his driver.

This is the first time we ever used
this wagon in Webster Groves," said
Mr. Ridgeway indignantly, "and it will
be the last."

"You shut up or we'll put you in the
calaboose for contempt of court," shout-
ed the Deputy to Mr. Ridgeway.

\$9.85 Worth of Talk.
"I beg your pardon as I did not know
this was a courtroom," replied Mr.
Ridgeway. "There's nothing here to
indicate that it is."

"Well, I'm here, ain't I?" thundered
the Judge. "You're fined \$50." "You
mustn't do that," said Mr. Ridgeway.
In order to keep from going to jail
Mr. Ridgeway promptly handed over
\$50 to the deputy, the additional \$5 be-
ing the cost of a license.

"It's the law, you know," said the
Deputy, by way of apology as Mr.
Ridgeway was passing out.

"Well, if that's the law I don't want
any more of Webster Groves. The for-
sale sign will go up on my house to-
morrow."

And the sign did go up and Mr. Ridgeway
is looking for a place in the city.
"Wouldn't that jar you," said Mr.
Ridgeway in relating his experience to
the Post-Dispatch, "thought I was
getting a load of wood for nothing and
cost me \$9.85. Just think of it—\$9.85
worth of wood. Wouldn't that kindle
the flames of wrath within a tax-
payer's soul?"

"If that's the law, where do we come
in? Why it made me hotter to pay out
that \$5.50 than that whole load of wood
ever will."

THIEF ROBS JESSE JAMES
Got \$300 From Cash Drawer of
Famous Bandit's
Son.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 12.—While
seeking a loan on a suit case in the
possession of Jesse James, son of the
famous bandit, a man took advantage of
the clerk's momentary absence and
robbed the cash drawer \$300.

The thief has not been found. James
says he knows the thief and that he is a
bartender out of work.

CAPTURES 11-FOOT SHARK
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 12.—All records
were broken at Santa Catalina yester-
day when G. B. Ellis, a banker of Red
Oak, Io., captured with rod and reel of
Tuna fish regulation, a monster shark
11 feet 6 inches long, which, when
weighed by the club committee, scaled
52 pounds.

The fish repeatedly took nearly the
entire 600 feet of line on Mr. Ellis' reel
and the combat lasted fully three hours.
When the fish was finally brought to
gaff it proved to be the grandfather of
sharks.

Mr. Ellis was totally exhausted.
LEFT HER BAREFOOTED.
Wife Alleges Husband Pawned
Shoes—Other Marital Woes.

Complaining against her husband,
Charles Schenk, and asking for di-
vorce, Carrie E. Schenk declares that
after pawned other articles of her
clothing, he took the shoes from her
feet and sold them, leaving her without
shoes. He drank excessively, she says.
Without respect for religion or music,
Mrs. Ida Donley, according to the com-
plaint, despised and broke up her
prayer books and books, burned his
feet and sold them, leaving her without
shoes. She asks for the custody of the
five children.

Other divorce suits filed yesterday
against Charles Sipple, alleged desec-
tation of graves; against Estelle
Sipple, alleged desertion; Charles Speck
against Julia Anna Speckart, al-
leged desertion; Jaroslav K. Kirchner
against William Kirchner, alleged
desertion; Jaroslav K. Kirchner, al-
leged abuse and failure to support;
and Catherine Brennan against Wil-
liam Brennan, alleged desertion.

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lin avenue. You will find them marked just HALF the usual amount. Gold Stamps have caught on like wild-
fire in St. Louis. 40,000 persons have started to collect them. Every merchant will soon have them. People
have royally welcomed the idea of

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\$3 in Gold Stamps Free to All This Week Besides One With Every 10c You Spend!
Surprising Prices Wednesday on New Fall Goods

Only 19c for new 50c Soft Taffeta Silk.

75c black Taffeta Silk, yard wide.....	44c	50c camel's hair all-wool suitings, 40 inches.....	29c
1.50 black Beau de Sole Silk, 54 inches.....	79c	1.00 black Sicilian Mohair, 54 inches.....	58c
85c silk-finished Velvets, all colors.....	39c	1.50 French Broadcloths, 52 inches.....	89c

3c FOR FINE INDIGO BLUE CALICO!

10c fancy Outing Flannel, 30 inches wide.....	5c	Sale of Women's Sample Gloves	
8 1-2c Canton Flannel, 30 inches wide.....	4c	2000 pairs of sample Gloves from the Carleton Dry Goods Co. at less than manufacturer's cost, consisting of all the finest silk and lises, black, white and colors. Remember, there is but one pair of a kind, so first come secures first choice.	
60c bleached Bed Sheets, 61x90.....	39c	15c Fabric Gloves go at.....	5c
5c fringed Honeycomb Towels.....	24c	35c Lisle Gloves go at.....	15c
15c Wrapper Flannelettes.....	84c	50c Silk or Lisle Gloves go at.....	25c
12 1/2c Pillow Cases, 3-inch hem.....	74c	1.00 Silk Gloves go at.....	50c
2.50 fringed linen Table Sets, 10-4 cloth and 1 doz. Napkins.....	1.39		
75c Apron Gingham.....	45c		

3 O'CLOCK SPECIAL
12c Pillow Cases, 5c

600 Bleached Pillow Cases, full size, with 2-inch hem; regular 12 1/2c kind, regular sold, each.....

5c

\$6 SPIDER SKIRTS FOR \$4

All the go in St. Louis. Never before heard of at this price.

We will place on sale tomorrow 600 SPIDER SKIRTS, exactly like cut of fine, soft Henrietta cloth, in black, blue and brown; most becoming and distinctly stylish skirt ever produced at such a low price; they come in all lengths and are positively worth 6.00—tomorrow at.....

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5.95 For Ladies' 45-inch Length Covert Cloth Coats.

With a deep yoke and box plaited in back; a full sleeve and deep cuffs, hand-
somely trimmed with inlaid vel-
vet; the correct coat for pres-
ent wear, for.....

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\$10 For Ladies' 25 and 30 Tailor-Made Suits.

Come in fancy all-wool mixtures, made in the latest 45-inch cut, tight-fitting single-breasted, velvet collar and cuffs, pleated skirt, all beautifully stitched and tailored; be kind they sell on Broad-
way at \$25 and \$30—our price.....

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Cravettes and Mackintoshes Almost Given Away!

300 of them, for Ladies and Misses, on sale, 8 a. m., and as long as they last.

Coats worth up to \$3 go at.....

98c

Coats worth up to \$8 go at.....

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Laundry nobody ever offered before. Just think! 200 dozen Men's Soft Laundered White Madras Shirts, made with neckband or collar attached; guaranteed cut full and well made; size 14 to 19; never before were such shirts offered at this ridiculously low price.

25c

Men's 12.50 Fall Suits, Top 9.50
Coats and Cravettes.....

A dazzling collection of new fall splendor in these strictly tailor-made garments, nobby worsted suits, covert topcoats, guaranteed cravettes; actual \$12 1/2 qualities; special for to-morrow only

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1.39 for Ladies' \$2 Shoes
Single and double soles, patent leather tips, all sizes.
FREE WITH BOYS' AND GIRLS' SHOES
Fine Knife to boys and beautiful imported Chateaufort to girls.
Boys' and Girls' School Shoes.....

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Boys' \$4 School Suits for 2.45

Nobby fancy cassimeres and all-wool chevots; double-breasted, sailor, Russian Blouse and Norfolk styles—special to-morrow.....

2.45

Boys' \$1 "Star" Waists 25c

FREE!

ROLLER SKATES with Boys' Suits \$3 and above.
Fine WATCH AND FOB with suits \$5 and above.

Patent Leather Belts at 10c.
The new form-fitting patent leather Belt; everybody sells them for 25c. For one hour Wednesday, 10:00 to 11:00 a. m.

10c

Lace Collars at 10c.
Beautiful Battenberg Braid Stocks, worth 25c; only 25 dozen; at 9:00 a. m., until sold.....

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ASK RECEIVER FOR COPPER CO.

St. Louisans, Officers of Columbia Company, Sued for an Accounting.

A suit was filed in the Circuit Court Tuesday asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Columbia Copper Co., an Arizona organization, of which the following St. Louisans are officers: Zach W. Tinker, president; Charles A. Long, vice-president; A. L. Steinmeyer, secretary; James L. Carls, treasurer; and Joseph F. Wampler, director. These persons are made defendants with the company.

The plaintiffs are William C. Geis, Julius F. Tieberman, Fred L. Gels, G. A. Brenner, W. M. Brenner and L. M. Weiss. Their petition alleges that W. C. Geis owns 5700 shares of defendant company's stock; Tieberman 400 shares; Fred L. Gels 300 shares; G. A. Brenner and W. M. Brenner, 1000 shares each; and L. M. Weiss, 200 shares. The company was organized to conduct and operate mines and smelting and reduction works, and defendants were officers and directors Sept. 15, 1902. The petition charges that the business has been mismanaged, neglected and its assets dissipated, that no annual meeting has been held for two years, and that defendants have failed to keep their promises to take and pay for \$2500 worth of stock each. Under a judgment of July 23, 1903, plaintiffs allege, the property was sold for \$6000; that this was because of dissipation of the funds, and would not have been necessary if money for stock had been paid into the treasury. Defendants allege that the officers refuse longer to conduct the business of the company, and they pray, therefore, for the removal of officers and directors, ask that directors be compelled to account to the court for official conduct and to pay back all sums, that a receiver be appointed to wind up the company's affairs and that a temporary receiver be appointed pending a trial of the case on its merits. The case was assigned to Division No. 1, Judge Hough, but as Judge Hough is out of the city, it may be transferred to some other court.

NORWAY MUST ACCEPT.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 12.—The delegates of Norway and Sweden appointed to discuss the dissolution of the union of the two countries will assemble at Karlstad, Sweden, Sept. 13, and as it is declared here that the Swedish conditions are unalterable the outcome seems to depend on the Norwegian acceptance of these conditions. The tone adopted by the Norwegian delegates this morning is very threatening and is considered to be especially significant coming after yesterday's declaration of the Norwegian delegates. It is recognized that the delegates will be able to follow the line of the Swedish authorities in preparing for such an eventuality.

BERLIN REPORTS 61 CHOLERA DEATHS

One Fatality in Army and Regiment Is Promptly Quarantined.

BERLIN, Sept. 12.—The official bulletin issued today announced that eight new cases of cholera and three deaths had been reported during the 24 hours ending today at noon, making a total of 61 cases and 41 deaths. A report from Graudenz, Prussia, says a man belonging to the Fourth Regiment of Uhlans died there today of cholera. This was the first appearance of the disease in the regiment. The regiment was promptly quarantined. At Bromberg, Prussia, it is reported that a soldier from cholera occurred in that administrative district today.

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SHOT BY BURGLAR AND JAW BROKEN

GREENWICH, Conn., Sept. 12.—Mrs. C. W. Morell, daughter of E. C. Converse of New York, an officer of the United States Steel Co., was shot by a burglar who entered her residence here early today.

The bullet struck her chin, shattering the jawbone and imbedding itself in her shoulder. At about 2:30 o'clock a nurse who has a room on the second floor of the Morell residence was awakened by a flash from the burglar's lantern. She screamed and the man attacked her with the butt of a revolver, bruising her arms and shoulders and breaking two of her fingers. A woman guest of Mrs. Morell heard the screams and when she entered the burglar's room the burglar was still struggling with the nurse, fired a shot, but the bullet went wild and struck the ceiling.

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\$1.00 Inlaid Linoleums, Wednesday, yard, 59c
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110 Rolls of Linen Warp Japanese Matting—Carpet effect of blue, red, green and two-toned effects; this class of goods is all fresh, direct from the coast, and would be excellent value for 40c a yard; special, Wednesday, 4 yard, 19c.

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Women's Drawers—Of good quality, excellent values for 50c; special Wednesday, 25c.

Women's Knit Petticoats—Made of wool, light and dark colors; 75c values, 50c.

Women's Flannellette Gowns—Full length and width; special, 47c.

Infants' Slips—Made of good quality, cambric, neck and sleeves trimmed with lace; special value, 15c.

Infants' Long Kimonos—Made of white or colored flannel, edged with silk, worth 75c; Wednesday, 39c.

Second Floor, Undermuslin Section.

House Shoes

500 pairs Ladies' and Misses' Sample House Shoes—All sizes; worth from 75c to \$1.25; Wednesday, on sale in main shoe aisle at 19c.

Black Satens

2500 yards Black Mercerized Satens—Full yard wide; beautiful finish; the regular 35c quality; 1 to 10 yard lengths; Wednesday on special bargain counter, yard, 15c. Main Floor.

Mohairs, Yd. 35c

25 pieces Black Mohair Brilliantine—Extra wide; handsome finish; special for coats, suits and skirts; value 75c; from 8 to 12, yard only, 35c. Main Floor.

Fall Dress Fabrics

35c Mercerized Satens at 12 1/2c—1000 yards of Mercerized Satens, all nice and neat patterns; new designs; will go Wednesday, last, at only, 12 1/2c.

35c Mercerized Poplins at 18c—300 yards of Mercerized Poplins, a fine wash fabric, in all the best colors, brown, light blue, navy, blue, pink, blue, black, champagne, tan and red; actual value 35c; Wednesday, yard, 18c.

40c Mohair Brilliantine at 25c—25 pieces of 35-inch Mohair; all colors, such as light blue, navy blue, green, cardinal red—while they last Wednesday, 26c.

60c Dress Goods at 45c—300 yards of 45-inch all-wool Dress flannel in the best shades—royal blue, navy blue, green, gray, tan and brown—Wednesday, yard, 39c.

Window Shades, 19c

We have just received another lot of those old Opaque Window Shades, about 75 dozen in the lot. They come in all colors, mounted on good substantial rollers that are guaranteed to work well. The size is 3x6 feet. You would think you were getting a bargain in the shades in other places at 75c. All you want here, with fixtures, cords, nails, etc., ready to hang, Wednesday, 19c.

Tapstry Portieres: full widths and full lengths—made of good quality tapstry fringe both top and bottom—very come in all colors; fully worth \$2.50; Wednesday, a pair, \$1.48.

Lace Curtains: full 54-inch width by 3 1/2 yards long—finishes with the overlook edge—extra copies of Brussels and Irish Point Curtains—would be good value for \$2.00 a pair—Wednesday, a pair, 98c.

Umbrellas, 69c

300 Fine Silk Finished Gloria Umbrellas—Handsome silver mounted horn and natural wood handles; worth \$1.25; your choice Wednesday only, 69c.

School Umbrellas—Made on steel rods, with Paragon frames; fast, light; worth 75c; special Wednesday, 39c.

10c Buttons for 2 1/2c—White Pearl Buttons, all sizes; worth 10c; Wednesday at only, the 2 1/2c. Main Floor.

Furnishings.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—One big lot of Men's Fine Fleece-Lined Shirts and Drawers. Colors, blue, gray and yager. The cream of this season's 50c grade. All sizes—special for Wednesday, 39c.

SPECIAL BARGAIN—Closing out small lots of our 20c, 75c and \$1.00 values of Summer Madras and Satine Shirts—with or without collar—with separate cuffs or cuffs attached—all sizes—Wednesday at only, 39c. Main Floor.

3 O'Clock Special

FLEECE-LINED FLANNELLETTE—At 3 o'clock sharp we place on sale 35 bolts of Fleece-Lined Flannellette, suitable for wrappers and dresses; regularly sold for 10c; special Wednesday, per yard, 5c.

Flannellette—6c checked and striped dark Outing Flannellette—while it lasts, 4c.

Flannellette—12 1/2c heavy dark Outing Flannellette, suitable for comfort covering—until sold, 7c.

Flannel—3 1/2c heavy fleeced cotton Flannel—while 1500 yds. last, 5c.

10c Value Unbleached Linen Crash Roller Toweling—Fleece-free from dressing—extra heavy weight—5c.

White Goods.

FLANNELS—Extra heavy quality—in red, gray, black, blue and white—flannels worth 49c—special for Wednesday, 35c.

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ONE CLIPPED OFF LOOKS

Father Applies to Police for
Arrest of Young
Miscreants.

Police of the Fourth District are looking for three negro boys who sheared little Nathan Finer's long brown curls from his head Monday afternoon. Nathan, who is 4 years old, was attacked in a rear yard near the home of his cousin, Eli Dubinsky, at 1908 Morgan street. While one of the negro boys held his hands behind his back the others cut the curls.

Nathan, who was accompanied by his older brother, Abe, 6 years old, ran to his home at 1236 Morgan street. He

BOY AS HE LOOKS
WITHOUT HIS CURLS.

NATHAN FINER.

was scarcely recognized by his father, Morris Finer. Where the long brown curls, the pride of the family, had been, Nathan exhib-

ited a scalp shorn to the skin in great jagged lines. The scalp was bare of hair high up on the forehead and but a few wisps were left at the back, but not one curl remained.

Finer took his boy to the Four Courts and told his story to Chief Keely, who promised that the boys who had done the barber work would be arrested. Just before Nathan was attacked the same negro boys, Eli Dubinsky alleges, tried to cut his hair. Eli, who is 10 years old, beat them off. He lost some hair in the scuffle.

Abe Finer was spokesman for Nathan, who cannot talk plainly, and told a Post-Dispatch reporter about their joint experiences.

"Nathan, he and me went down by our cousin's Dubinsky yesterday afternoon 'bout time school lets out. We got in a yard where nigger boys were playing circus. A big boy and a little boy tried to catch me, but couldn't. They caught Nathan by the big stone steps down by my cousin's."

"The big boy was this high (Abe raised his hands about four feet from the ground), but the other was a littler boy. The little boy held Nathan and the big boy cut his hair with shears like papa used. I ran up and gave the little boy a punch in the eye, but Nathan's curls were all off. The curls fell on the steps and the boys ran away."

"I took Nathan home 'cause the nigger boys wanted to stick him with the shears."

Nathan was grieving while his brother talked. After his father exhibits him in court if she fails even a little, she is charged with beating her step-

Charged With Beating
Stepchild, Blames World's
Opinion of Stepmothers

MRS. EDITH L. DODSON

"No Praise If She Succeeds With Husband's Children and Censure If She Fails Even a Little," Says Mrs. Edith Dodson.

BY ROSE MARION.

"Fairness has little place in the world's judgment of a stepmother. If she succeeds in bringing up her husband's children, she receives no praise; if she fails ever so little, a load of censure awaits her; if she errs in trying to train the children aright, she may well wish herself in her coffin."

Mrs. Edith Dodson, aged 10, with a broomstick, thus spoke of the class of women to which she belongs.

She was arraigned in the Court of Criminal Correction Tuesday, after having been released from jail on a \$200 bond, signed by Albert G. Reuchter of 232 North Jackson avenue.

She had in her arms her 4-month-old baby, her companion during a night in the holdover.

She is a slight brown-haired woman of 24. Her eyes are large and brown. She had cried much through the night, but was trying to control herself because of her baby, Nina.

"I had no fear when I was married that all would not go well," said she. "I like children and I was willing to do my part. All did go well for several years. Then the children seemed to learn the general opinion of step-

mothers.

Worked for Children.

"I worked as hard as I could and my work was for them. I helped my husband with his photography, work that he does at odd times. I tried to make the children go to school regularly and I tried to teach Grace careful ways about the house."

"I gave her certain work to do, and felt that it was my duty to see that she did it right."

"It seems to me that it is a greater responsibility to send children into the world than has been apportioned to be too severe in discipline."

"For the last two years my work has been difficult. Grace was not easy to manage. I tried every way I could think of instead of whipping, but nothing else seemed to do any good. I put on punishment as long as I could, and tried to control my temper."

"For three months I have not punished her. We were separated some of the time, and other times I felt that I must not permit myself to become excited."

"I whipped her hard Thursday morning—too hard—but I did not know how hard then. It is useless to half punish some children. For three days I kept punishing myself, and things kept happening until it seemed that something had to be done."

"This may be for the best. Grace will probably be better off in a children's home."

"Mothers-in-law, like stepmothers, are much criticised, but they can choose their homes and keep away from that which makes them unhappy."

"Truth seems to be a stranger to the tongues that talk of stepmothers. A mother may indulge her children until their very conversation is disrespectful and be called a 'kind mother,' but this is a stepmother go beyond the bounds in an effort to bring up her charges right and condemnation is great."

Father a Clergyman.

Mrs. Dodson is the daughter of a clergyman. Her own mother is quite ill, and she fears that knowledge of this trouble may retard recovery.

She has two children of her own, a boy of 2 and a baby.

"They can never give me the concern that other children have," she contends. "I am their mother."

WE ARE NOT WORLDLY,
SAYS GIRL ASSISTANT
TO BAPTIST PASTOR

Miss Stella Gordon, Aid to Rev. J. T. M. Johnston, Thinks St. Louis People Have More Time for Religion Than Residents of Chicago.

"People of St. Louis are less worldly than people of Chicago."

Miss Stella Gordon, who for the past week has filled the newly created position of assistant to the pastor of the Delmar Avenue Baptist Church, has made this interesting discovery.

The work of the church has been enlarged and Miss Gordon of Chicago has been engaged to assist the pastor, Dr. J. T. M. Johnston. She is a graduate of the Baptist Training School of Chicago, and this is her first charge. Her comparison of St. Louis and Chicago should be pleasing to this city.

"I like St. Louis very much," she said, "though I have not been here long enough to form a decided opinion. My impression is that the life is less strenuous here and that people have time, or take time, to think more about higher things than business."

"In Chicago, it seemed to me, many of the best church workers could never get their minds off their business interests and their devotion to the church was not as whole-hearted as it could be. I find many more here who throw their souls into the work for better things. They told me in Chicago I would not like St. Louis, but I do. It is very restful in its physical aspect, as far as

that is concerned.

"In truth, I was disappointed in being sent to St. Louis, for I had hoped to obtain a charge in the West among the miners, where I think there is great missionary work to be done. However, I am pleased now that I have seen the city and met some of the residents."

Work Among Christians.

"One cannot always choose one's own field, and I realize that there is just as much to be done among the professors of Christianity in bringing them to a thorough understanding of what their Christianity really means as there is in spreading the faith among the ignorant and unsaved."

"I understand that the church has less summing work than in the case in Chicago, where I spent two years in the slums. I am very much in love with the work for the Lord and hope to accomplish some good."

Miss Gordon's duties will consist of visiting the members of the church, the poor and the sick and otherwise assisting the pastor.

OPERATORS TRANSFERRED.

Charles Kallmeyer, telephone operator at Eighth District Police Station, has been transferred to Four Courts, where he will have the tracing desk. Edward J. Hogan of the latter desk goes to the City Hall and Peter Campion, operator at the Central District Station is transferred to the Eighth District Station.

URGE BUSCH TO
HEAD HORSE SHOWBusiness Demands Make Him
Hold Back His Final
Answer.

Augustus A. Busch, first vice-president of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, is being urged by leading members of the St. Louis Horse Show Association to accept the presidency of that organization. He has promised to return a final answer at a meeting to be held Wednesday at the Jefferson Hotel. At Mr. Busch's office it was said Tuesday that he was considering the matter, but had not yet made up his mind to accept. The demands of his business duties are so imperative that he is reluctant to assume a direction of Horse Show affairs.

Max R. Orthwein, John A. Bratton, Russell E. Gardner, John Kearney and others interested in the horse show are among those who insist that Mr. Busch is the logical candidate for President this year. They visited him Monday and brought strong pressure to bear in an effort to gain his consent. In the event that he declines, the honor will probably go to Mr. Orthwein, who has once before held the office.

It is said by his admirers that Mr. Busch is the best amateur whip in America, barring not even such famous whips as Alfred Vanderbilt, Reggie Rives, T. Suffer, Tallier or James Hagan Hyde, that he is a most daring and skillful four-in-hand driver, and that he owns the finest horses and equipment in the country.

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A loud explosion in a box of insulated wires of the United Railways Co., 30 feet above ground on a pole, followed by a fire in which flames of every hue flashed in the air, drew a large crowd to the corner of Twelfth street, and Clark avenue, near Four Courts, Tuesday afternoon, and caused a blockade of cars on the Bellefontaine and Cherokee lines.

Firemen put the blaze out after the box which contained the wires had been destroyed and the wires had fallen from the pole. The power was turned off, while repair wagons were summoned, and a string of cars soon gathered on each side of the Twelfth street bridge.

TOASTS FOLK AS
NEXT PRESIDENT

Governor of Missouri, Staff and Party Guests of Governor of Utah.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Sept. 12.—Gov. Joseph W. Folk and staff and party were the guests of Salt Lake City and Utah Monday, one of the most enthusiastic receptions ever seen here being given in their honor. The Missouri chief executive was lionized. Judge W. H. King, former Congressman, brought the banquet to the feet when he toasted Gov. Folk as the next President.

Senator Reed Smoot was extravagant in his attentions to the Governor, saying he was the most distinguished visitor who had been entertained in Utah.

Gov. John C. Cutler of Utah was the host of Gov. Folk and his party. The banquet at the Atlas Club, the exclusive social organization of the city, was the feature.

The prominent guests at the banquet included United States Senator Reed Smoot, United States Senator Joseph L. Rawlins, Judge W. H. King, the leading Democrat of Utah; John Henry Smith, one of the prominent members of the Mormon Church, and former President of the Transmississippi Congress; Col. W. F. Holmes, a multilingualist of the West; Col. Joseph L. Geoghegan, Adjutant-General of Utah; State Senator Banberger and 40 of the prominent business men of Salt Lake City.

Gov. Cutler and his staff met the Missourians at the train. The visitors left for Portland at 11:30 p. m. and are scheduled to arrive there at 1:30 Wednesday morning.

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The Czar's repeal of retaliatory tariff measures shows that there is profit in peace-making. Peace pays.

The "pastoral morality" of Wall street has nothing to do with "the moral yearnings of rural communities."

Perhaps it would be well for Gov. Folk to give Chief Kiely blanket instructions to this effect: Do your duty at all points.

WORK OR RESIGN.

The President of an automobile manufacturing company, the business of which was built up in St. Louis, says that he is compelled to move his plant to Illinois on account of the expense and delays caused by the bridge arbitrary and by insufficient railway terminals. The fact that St. Louis is not on the railroad map and that shipments must be made to or from East St. Louis, with bridge tolls on all St. Louis shipments, is the reason given for the removal.

St. Louis has advantages to offset the disadvantages of the bridge arbitrary and the East Side terminus. Many large and flourishing manufacturing plants have been established here and are doing profitable business. New plants are being successfully started and built up. St. Louis has an immense, profitable and expanding trade, despite the bridge arbitrary. The city's merchants have been able to overcome the obstacle of the bridge and terminal combine, in competing with other cities.

But the fact that some factories are removed from the city on account of the bridge arbitrary and the unsatisfactory terminal conditions should arouse citizens to the importance of a prompt solution of the bridge and terminal problem. The St. Louis railroads ought to be as much interested in the matter of keeping factories in St. Louis and securing new factories and larger trade for the city as the merchants and manufacturers. Their business grows with the growth of St. Louis business.

The disadvantage of the bridge arbitrary which drives some manufacturers and merchants out of the city keeps some outsiders away. To that extent it retards the progress and growth of the city—progress and growth to which the city is entitled by reason of its admirable location and great advantages. St. Louis is striving for the million population goal and that goal will be reached in time, but the obvious thing to do in order to realize this ambition in the shortest possible time is to eliminate the obstacles to business which are known to be inimical to the city's manufacturing and interests. The bridge arbitrary is acknowledged to be the greatest obstacle. Its retarding effect is demonstrated every day.

If the business men of St. Louis unitedly work for the abolition of the bridge arbitrary they can accomplish this end. The work heretofore has been desultory and inharmonious. All the business interests should concentrate their energies and labor without ceasing until the object is attained. One thing the business organizations can do at once to further the solution of the problem. They can force the Terminal Commission, appointed by the Mayor, to the utter inactivity of which the Post-Dispatch recently directed attention, to get to work or resign. The Commission was created and \$25,000 was appropriated for its use by the Municipal Assembly in response to a great popular demand.

The Mayor, who, with the President of the B. P. L., is ex-officio member of the commission, appointed the following members: James D. Hascom, Homer P. Knapp, Hugh McKittick, R. W. Shapleigh, R. H. Whitelaw and R. S. Colnon. Elias Michael, who was made Vice-Chairman, has resigned. These gentlemen were appointed as the representatives of the business interests and the business organizations to investigate the unsatisfactory terminal conditions and recommend remedies and improvements. Not one stroke of work has been done by the Commission.

Certainly the business organizations have a right to demand of the Mayor and their representatives on the Commission that they get to work.

The Mayor, who is Chairman, should fill Mr. Michael's place and get the Commission together for organization and effective work. The business men look to the Commission for effective measures and so long as it is inactive it is an obstacle instead of an aid to the improvement of the bridge and terminal situation.

With a death from consumption every three minutes in the United States, yellow fever and cholera are comparatively harmless.

THE BISHOP'S ALARM.

Bishop Bowman's opinion that "society is corrupt as hell" would be alarming if it were generally believed.

The good Bishop's belief probably is due to a common error. He sees the conspicuous faults of society and jumps to the conclusion that because they are conspicuous they must be deep seated and essential.

A century ago gentlemen maintained their standing as gentlemen by drinking themselves under the table. In our day a gentleman may go on a "foot" now and then, but he takes care to localize his drunken activity and keep it out of the view of the world.

In the great days of Fox and Burke, the young tribune lost two or three fortunes at the gaming table. All well-born young gentlemen gambled. Charles James Fox was not the only public character who spent too much time in this way. In our day no man in high places dares to cultivate the gaming habit. And the lovers of chance are for the most part found among the weaklings of society, who are relatively few and unimportant.

The very fact that gambling, liquor drinking and such like vices which terrify the Bishop are now public questions proves that the movement of society is against them. It is a sign of growing social health.

The good old times were good as could be in those times, but not good enough for our times. The

golden age is not behind, but ahead of us, and every year we advance a little way toward it. Some of us make a great outcry because we do not go faster, and men like Bishop Bowman—good, timid souls—are upset by the uproar. We are not so bad. Even people who drink a glass or two of beer on Sundays are often known to be good husbands, fathers and sons and pay their debts quite as a matter of course.

Mr. Rockefeller's prediction of an industrial panic in 1907-8, due to overproduction, will scarcely be heeded by a high-tariff, stand-pat Congress. With so many trusts cutting off competition, how can there be overproduction?

THE BIG CITY MOVEMENT.

Other cities have adopted the Million Population idea, which was started by St. Louis, and are organizing to put it in effect. Among the most energetic are Dallas, Tex.; Seattle, Wash., and Los Angeles, Cal. Dallas wants 100,000, Seattle is working for 500,000 and Los Angeles is hustling for 300,000 population. Each of these cities is blessed with energetic, wide-awake citizens; each has possibilities and attractions that should make the big-city movement successful, and each is working along the most promising line, namely, that of publicity.

Los Angeles has the advantage of a thoroughly up-to-date, progressive newspaper—the Herald—whose present editor, R. M. Yost, a former Post-Dispatch man, is well known in Missouri. The Herald has just published a special 100-page Sunday edition, setting forth the varied attractions and great possibilities of Los Angeles. Most people will be surprised to learn from this comprehensive description that Los Angeles is not simply a beautiful residence center and health resort, but has huge manufacturing industries and appears destined to become one of the great Pacific Coast metropolitan cities.

Given sufficient publicity, a well-located town is certain to grow. And with modern sanitary conditions, rapid transit and good government, there is no reason to dread such growth for all our cities. With healthy, patriotic, enlightened cities, the country will be helped rather than hindered.

Vice-President Fairbanks is talking about the "expansion of American opportunity." The American opportunity coveted by Mr. Fairbanks is the opportunity to expand his boom.

ADVICE FROM JOHN D.

"Don't be a good fellow," said John D. Rockefeller to a Sunday school in Cleveland. "You know what I mean. Don't be convivial, always ready to pitch in and be one of a crowd. Be moderate; be very moderate."

Mr. Rockefeller is perhaps unnecessarily specific in declaring his own inability to be a good fellow. Nobody has ever accused him of leaning toward good fellowship, nor has the slightest tendency to conviviality on his part ever been suspected. On the other hand, there are those who do not hesitate to say that John D. is too much of a tightwad ever to be eligible to membership in that genial and congenial band who, he declares, "are dragging society down." It costs money to be "a good fellow."

As for the rest of his advice, Mr. Rockefeller seems to have been consistent only in one thing. He has never been "ready to pitch in and be one of the crowd." He has been flocking by himself so long that he seems to have grown apart from his kind and to have become sui generis.

While he counsels against conviviality and urges us to be "moderate, very moderate," it must be said—and doubtless he would admit the fact himself—that in the matter of money making Mr. Rockefeller has been both immoderate and intemperate. So, after all, he is "a good fellow," so far as being immoderate in the amassing of wealth is concerned.

A GRAVE INCONSISTENCY.

President Roosevelt's impulsiveness in the Brown-Hargrave get-married-quick case betrayed him into grave inconsistency.

Mr. Brown was a competent Inspector of the Interior Department. His public duties appear to have been properly performed. His fault was that he was too ardent in his wooing.

But this is not a fault which would impair the efficiency of his public service. History abounds in instances of good work by lovers whose impatience hurried the blessed day. And why should Mr. Roosevelt make an exception of Inspector Brown, who in no way exceptional, either in his character as Inspector or in that of lover?

Besides, who was it that started the talk about race suicide? Theodore Roosevelt, it was, who first reminded a sleepy world that the human race was in danger. And yet he is the very man to rebuke a lover who would do his part to ward off the peril. It is hoped that on second thought the President will reverse his order to dismiss Inspector Brown. On third thought he may promote him and so get back to his original position. Consistency is said to be a jewel of doubtful value, but if the salvation of the race depends upon it he will surely not refuse to wear it.

A ROSE BY ANY OTHER NAME.

From the Washington Star.

"Do you think that our country will ever succeed in getting rid of grafters?"

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum. "There will be a time when grafters are unheard of. But it will be due to the change that is constantly going on in our vocabulary. There will be a new word that means the same thing."

DISCOVERY OF THE BANANA.

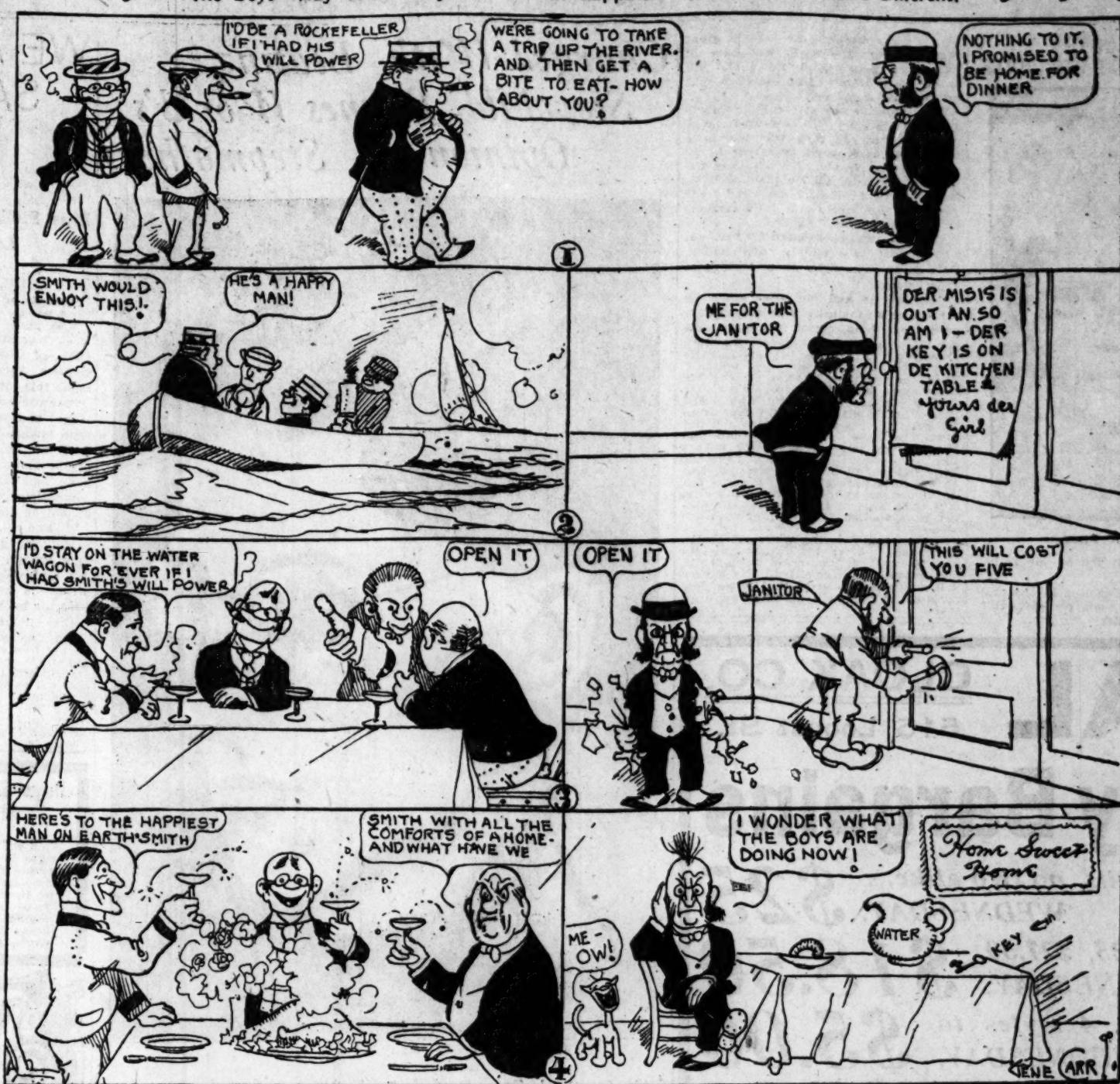
From the New York Tribune.

A boom in the banana trade in England reminds a correspondent of the Liverpool Courier that it is 30 years since the fruit was discovered by English merchant adventurers. In 1855 it is to be found the earliest reference to the banana. It is in Capt. Launier's second "Voyage into Florida," in that year and the year following. Here is the passage, and it will be observed the word is spelled "Ananas."

"Dominica is one of the fairest islands of the West, full of hills, and of very good smell. Whose singularities desiring to know as we passed, and seeking to refresh ourselves with fresh water, I made the mariners cast anchor, after we had sailed about half a league along the coast thereof. As soon as we had cast anchor, two Indians (inhabitants of that place) sailed towards us in two canoes full of a fruit of great excellence, which they called Ananas."

All the Comforts of Home.

"The Boys" May Think They Know What Happiness Is, but Smith Knows Different.



JUST A MINUTE

The Mysterious Stranger.

(A Meteorological Colloquy.)

THE WEATHER BIRD.

We had a visitor this morning.

THE ARTIST.

Who was that?

W. B. He came upon us without warning.

A. How was that?

W. B. He came with visage glad and smiling.

A. Why was that?

W. B. Our recent sorrows all beguiling.

A. How was that?

W. B. We hadn't seen his face for ages.

A. Why was that?

W. B. Now hourly he our thought engages.

A. Why is that?

W. B. He is a rankly fickle ranger.

A. Why is that?

W. B. He's Sol, the great Mysterious Stranger.

A. Sol—who's that?

Where Is John W.?

John W. Gates has been in a state of

quiescence so long that the sporting and speculative world has become restive under his long silence. Time was when hardly a day went by without glad tidings that John W. was ever-daring had won \$50,000 at poker on a train between Chicago and New York, or that he had gone into the betting ring at some race-track and snuck away with \$100,000 or so of the poor bookmakers' money on a single race.

Ah, those were great thrills John W. used to give us! But something seems to have gone wrong. No more do the merrily-clicking wires bring us news of the great doings of the redoubtable Gates. No more are we thrilled; no more do we strain eager ears to catch the jingle of coins in the very headlines telling of his kittenish coups.

No, those joy-bound days are no more. Yet so deep and abiding is our wish to hear of something stirring up Gates, that we have turned to the story that a Toledo man won \$50,000 from three corned millionaires during a week's voyage across the Atlantic does not interest us in the least. Ninety thousand in a week! A mere bagatelle! Give us a story of Gates. We will none of these poker-playing pikers!

Call in Teddy.

"What's the matter with Joney? He's cutting up worse than a riotous Jap."

"His wife licked him and took his week's salary away from him, and now he wants her to indemnify him against waiting this week and she won't do it."

Space forbids us to enumerate all that the peace envoys will miss by not visiting St. Louis.

Waitress reports loss of rings valued at \$250. Dear, dear, how much money some people do make!

NEW YORK EDITORIAL OPINION

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The World says: "The action of the Czar in abolishing the discriminating duties upon certain American manufactures ought to make a profound impression on the stand-pat mind. At last there seems to be a way by which the United States can obtain trade concessions without touching a single stone of the sacred Dingley tariff wall."

"All that is necessary is to wait for a war between two powers, then the President of the United States can extend his friendly offices, and the beaten nation will show its gratitude by removing some of its retaliatory restrictions imposed upon American commerce. 'If there are only wars enough with enough pieces of Portsmouth and with proper recognition of the President's good offices, in time most of the barriers to American trade can be removed, the Dingley schedules in the meantime remaining intact.'"

Gov. Pennypacker says that reformers in politics are a disturbing element. In Pennsylvania, as elsewhere, there are politicians whose choicest ideal is simply to be let alone.—The Tribune.

PASSING REMARKS

HOW can the President honestly preach anti-race suicide when he orders the discharge of a Federal employee because he married a chorus girl after an acquaintance of one day? Roosevelt evidently knows a little actress is a dangerous thing.

WOMAN'S WORLD

Precious Stones and Their Meaning.

According to the Polish Natal Calendar, each month is under the influence of a different precious stone: January—Jacinth or garnet. Constancy and fidelity in every engagement. February—Amethyst. Sincerity. This stone preserves mortals from strong passions and insures them peace of mind. March—Bloodstone. Courage and success in dangerous and hazardous enterprises. April—Sapphire or diamond. Repentance and innocence. May—Emerald. Success in love. June—Agate. Health and long life. July—Cornelian. The forgetfulness or the cure of evil springing from friendship in love. Content. August—Sardonyx. Conjugal felicity. September—Chrysolite. Preserves from evil cures folly. Antidote to madness. October—Opal. Misfortune and hope. November—Topaz. Fidelity and friendship. December—Turquoise or malachite. The most brilliant success and happiness in every circumstance in life. Prosperity.

Rose Instead of Wedding Ring.

A wedding without a ring seems incongruous, but in Cadiz, Spain, no ring is used. After the ceremony the bridegroom moves the flower in his bride's hair from left to right, for in various parts of Spain to wear a rose above your right ear is to proclaim yourself a wife.

Cats as Food.

In Northern Italy the cat is a favorite article of food. Even though people are forbidden by law from partaking of the animal. Indeed, cats are fattened and grown for the market with great care, and the Italians believe that they far surpass rabbits in every good quality. The method of cooking the animal is to roast it in an oven until brown, with onions, garlic, parsley, bay leaf, red wine and some fragrant herbs other than those mentioned.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Showers From Gallery Gods.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: Please see what you can do for the class of young people who attend the gallery of the theater. I took a young lady to the balcony of the Century Theater Thursday evening and the evening's pleasure was in a measure spoiled by the paper and chewing gum showers that came down from the gallery. Would you like to inform us through your columns who is responsible for the conduct of the patrons in the gallery. Are there no ushers up there? THEATRE GOER.

Thanks for Police Protection.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: I wish to commend the city police of St. Louis who so promptly and politely attended to my case when I was robbed and assaulted at 213 Locust street last Saturday evening. WORREST JONES, West Pine boulevard.

The Use of Pennies.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: On Sept. 5, under the head of "It Strikes Me," a writer mentioned that pennies would have no use if St. Louis wanted its million population. Which I think is a fact, as a few days ago I made a purchase at which was mailed, for which they charged me 5 cents postage, but when the article reached me there was only a 2-cent stamp upon the envelope, which meant that the habit so as to be ready for the stamp than Uncle Sam.

Have gone into other stores and asked the price of certain articles, was told 25 cents a pound, and then would be charged 15 cents for a half pound. According to mathematics and six inches cents is 15¢ and then the storekeeper would be charged 15¢.

Have readere are no no Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington and the people in other cities, just as you said of New York. Hope the merchants of this city will get the habit so as to be ready for the million population, which I hope will be in the near future. RUBEN.

Paving Between Car Tracks.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: Permit me to direct your attention to the outrageous condition of the paving of the St. Louis Transit Co.'s right-of-way, that is between and six inches outside their rails.

AGNER—Sins and sins are numbered in Daniel's Inferno: Trimmers, violence, gluttony, avarice, anger, heresy; heaven against God, neighbor or self; seducers and panderers, flatterers, simulators, diviners, peccators, hypocrites, thieves, evil counselors, sowers of dissension, forgers, fraud or malice against kin, country, hospitality or lords and benefactors.

It seems as though the Transit company has made an agreement with the Street Commissioner to be allowed to maintain a condition of the paving that will exclude the public from using it as a road for driving.

Your effort to remedy this wrong will be applauded by thousands who have to drive a vehicle on St. Louis streets. CIVIC PRIDE.

"Must These Things Be?"

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I have just read in the Post-Dispatch of the suicide of William J. Swabe, and though I am a stranger to him, I feel that there must be someone, some place, to whom that man like me, who has fought valiantly the battle of life for his love and has been beaten, should turn for help. I feel that there must be an organization, a universal brotherhood, that would take such a heart-broken man in such an hour well known to him who would receive lovingly at their hands old and comfort. If all those who are able, yes even all those who are willing and willing to do so, united in systematic, persistent effort, the pages of your paper would soon be incumbered with such heart-breaking news.

Will you kindly publish this letter that I may through your paper, appeal to all who may read it to join me in organized, persistent effort that one may go down in despair, but that all may find sympathy and relief in the hour of trouble. A. F. MACK.

THE CLUB WOMAN

Discusses Current Happenings With Her Usual Acumen.

"I SEE," said the Society Girl, "that Mr. Ream won \$50,000 playing poker on an ocean liner."

"He isn't the first man," said the Club Woman, "who has made a fortune on water. I've heard Mr. Brown say that many a rich man got his money from watered stock. I thought all stock had to be watered. I should think the poor things would die of thirst."

"But did you read about Mrs. Folson and the spirits? It seems she is a medium or something, and some other spiritualists said she was a fraud and exposed her. Why, they made her disrobe! Oh, no, I forgot; that was later."

"But, anyhow, they had a trial before a committee and some said she was a real medium and others said she was a false medium. Mr. Brown said he'd bet she wasn't a happy medium. Finally, in order to convince them, she said she would have spirits write on cards. So, Saturday night, she tried it, but she didn't succeed. Her friends said the weather conditions weren't right. You remember how it rained. Mr. Brown said any spirit would be foolish to leave a comfortable fire and go out in the wet, just to entertain a lot of queer—no, I mean curious—human beings."

"Well, she tried it again Sunday. Then was when she disrobed. Some women took her into another room and took off her clothes and put them on again. I don't know why. Mr. Brown says perhaps they were after new ideas in lingerie. Then she tried the card writing again, and, after a long time, faint words appeared in ink on the cards. I am so glad, because the paper says the audience was skeptical and cold. Mr. Brown says there wasn't anything sympathetic in the hall but the ink. He says he wonders she tried to get spirits on Sunday."

"Why?" asked the Society Girl.

"Because the lid was on."

"But why," asked the Society Girl, "did Mr. Ream's coup at poker remind you of spiritualist card writing?"

"I wonder," said the Club Woman, "if he won on a bluff."

ANSWERS TO POST-DISPATCH READERS

RULES—One question; one initial. No business addresses given. No bets. Only simple legal questions. Address "Answers," Post-Dispatch; postal cards if convenient.

A.—Write to the Tax Assessor.

H. L. C.—Electricity removes moles.

J. C. T.—\$10,000,000, ten million dollars.

L.—Private detectives are not licensed.

READER—Pawnbroker legal rate, 2 per cent a month.

A. R.—De bonus non means of the goods not (yet) registered on.

F. L.—Try writing Manual Training School, Washington University.

INQUIRER—City chemist, City Hall, will examine your samples of water.

HEINE—Kansas City did not have an underground railway system in 1892.

OLIVER—Hunting licenses are issued by county clerks in St. Louis, at City Hall.

B. C. R. J.—Renter by the month is required to give landlord 30 days' written notice.

J. Z.—Clean brass with oxalic acid and ammonia. Druggist will tell you right steps and each other.

ADNA—Frances Vilma Davenport, born in London, 1850; died in Duxbury, Mass., Sept. 23, 1898.

R. BINDER.—It is impossible to say which is the greatest power on land until a great war shall decide.

H. H. H.—Spiritualist papers, Banner of Light, Boston; Light of Truth, Chicago; Progressive Thinker, Chicago.

ADOLPHUS.—"Everything comes to him who waits" is a correct expression, though it may not be a truth.

B. R. D.—Anyone taking an interest in animals may become a member of the Humane Society, and it solicits complaints from all persons.

T. C. D.—Port Wayne, Journal-Gazette, News, Sun, Sentinel, South Bend, Tribune, Times, Terra Haute, Tribune, Gazette, Star; Decatur, Ill., Herald, Review.

J. B.—Any blank draft will do. The blank furnished by the bank where you get the money is usually most convenient, and requires less writing or alteration.

J. J. B.—Your matter looks like a silly lovers' quarrel. If you have such fuses now, what would happen after you are married and learn each other's faults? Perhaps she is only seeking an excuse to break the engagement.

PROZE UP.—Colorado is a good place for persons who have weak lungs, but Arizona and New Mexico are better. Avoid towns and go by routes passing over heights that are medium.

ANXIOUS.—If none is red from alcohol, we can hardly advise you. Look well to your diet and observe the laws of health. Sometimes one may seem to be in good health when there is slight disorder somewhere.

W. L.—Violent Wood writes: "For matted hair (and switch of matted hair) someone asks about: re-saturate with alcohol, then comb out with coarse comb. Avoid fire in the room and begin combing at tip, lengthening stroke gradually."

AGNER—Sins and sins are numbered in Daniel's Inferno: Trimmers, violence, gluttony, avarice, anger, heresy; heaven against God, neighbor or self; seducers and panderers, flatterers, simulators, diviners, peccators, hypocrites, thieves, evil counselors, sowers of dissension, forgers, fraud or malice against kin, country, hospitality or lords and benefactors.

EARNEST.—Any bright man with good common school education may enter a medical college. The department of Washington University diplomas of public high school, academies with four years' course and State normal schools having course equivalent to a four years' high school course, are accepted as complete certificates. See catalogue, Public Library, for examination requirements.

A.—Hives come from indigestion; sometimes from a bit of fish; crabs usually bring them out. Diet and take plenty of cold water between meals. Take a little castor oil or the finger and touch the ridges; it will allow the itching. Mix a tablespoonful of sulphur and a teaspoonful of cream of tartar in a cup of molasses and take a teaspoonful of this every morning half an hour before breakfast until all is taken.

P. C.—Exercise for broadening the shoulders requires the person to place his hands straight before him against a door or wall, which he must then straighten out the arms and the palms of his hands be spread out upon the surface of the door. Then slowly press the chest forward toward the door. This will cause the arms to bend at the elbows, but at the same time will throw back the shoulders. Rowing will broaden the shoulders very perceptibly. Exercises with dumbbells are also good. Expand the chest by erect carriage and deep breathing.

F. H.—Great bridge: Highest railroad bridge in the world, the Crumey Viaduct, 250 feet, Victoria Arch Bridge, 200 feet, the longest of its kind, Tay Bridge, Dundee, is 2 miles long, 10 yards long. Virginia Natural Bridge is 400 feet high, while Canyon Natural Bridge, Utah, is 400 feet high, Brooklyn Suspension Bridge, 1,200 feet long; height of towers, 225 feet. Blackwell's Island Bridge, New York, is 1 mile long and 100 feet above high tide. Flamen dunn Arch Bridge, Saxony, span of 250 feet. Quebec Cantilever Bridge has a span of 180 feet. Southern Pacific cut-off, Oregon, 1,000 feet. Lion Bridge, near Samsung, China, 54 miles.

THE SKINDICATE

By IVAN WHIN

The Post-Dispatch Novelist.

"It's a good thing you don't drink, Bobbie," said the poetically thin and soulful-eyed youth behind a foaming mug. "Mac had 30 cents and it's all gone."

The speaker smiled genially on six gloomy young men. Their hands were deep in empty trousers pockets.

"Give us a new scheme, Mac," said Bobbie. "You're great on the graft. Pipe up something for quick action. My landlady says the con won't go for another week and I had to walk down-town."

Mac's delicate face flushed. He gulped the remaining drops from his mug and hitched his chair closer to the table.

"What's the matter with a new theatrical skindicate?" he asked, disregarding the chair of his companions, went on: "I know all about Frohman and Klaw & Erlanger's cinch and the Orpheum-Tate-Middleton hammerlock and I ain't proposing to go against them."

"Oh, you ain't!" his hearers remarked.

"No, I ain't. Here's the game to work. I thought of it last night down at the Laclede. There's a come-on there from

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was fluffy, ash colored by nature, and abundant; her eyes were as blue as the blue mugs they gave to "a good boy when we were small; her cheeks were plump and tinted by healthy blood; her lips babyish in pouting cupid's bow. Her second asset was perennial good nature.

She liked everybody and everything, but she was especially fond of this group of graceless scamps. Sometimes she chided them in her soft voice for idleness; but they only laughed at and with her. She wrote letters for them, looking money by short cuts, and was paid in flowers, candy, jollies and occasional theater tickets. She smiled now at the man from Paducah and beckoned him to her desk. He approached her like an outcast dog who has gained momentary notice.

"How do?" he said, embarrassed, and stretched forth a heavy bludgeon of a hand. She laid her own soft plump completed his sign the contract, don't you?" she asserted rather than questioned and spread an important looking document on the desk, moving back to give him place there.

"Yes," he gulped, not knowing what he said.

The man from Paducah was unused to the society of ladies, but he had heard tales, had dreamed dreams and was away from home. His head was so full of blood that he was dizzy, his sight was clouded and he was conscious of the perfume and nearness of Mamie Dwyer.

He took the pen and wrote his signature at the place she indicated.

"And here, too," Mac said softly, thrusting an unsigned check for \$50 into Mamie's hand.

"And here, too," she repeated, bending over the man from Paducah—her arm resting on his shoulder, her breath caressing his ear—and laying the check in front of him.

A flash of sense stirred in his benumbed brain. He stared at the check.

"What's this for?" he asked, looking up at her and trying to be very sharp and business-like.

Mamie smiled. "Why, don't you know?" she asked, guilelessly. She didn't know herself, and Bobbie cut in: "Oh, that's only a formality. We exchange guaranties, you know."

"Yes, it's only a formality," murmured Mamie, quite sure she was right as she was repeating Bobbie's words.

Her smile dazzled the man from Paducah and he signed the check. Had his ears been open to hear a sign of a happy fellow might have awakened him to a sense of his folly. Had his eyes been normally keen he would have seen being deaf and blind to all other sounds and sights than Mamie's voice and Mamie's face he arose consciously that it behooved him to attempt the winning of this peerless creature.

"You must be tired doing all this typewriting and hungry, huh? Suppose you come with me to a rest-a-while and get a little dinner."

"Oh, we'll be delighted," said Mamie and her eyes were like saucers to confirm her acceptance.

"Certainly," "Sure," "Of course," they said quickly.

The man from Paducah did not falter. He looked them blandly and said: "Well, where's a good place?"

Bobbie felt his smooth chin thoughtfully. "To tell the truth," he said slowly, "we're in a great hurry today and I think we'd better go to a quick lunch place—say, Faust's?"

His eyes questioned his fellow robbers.

"Suit me," said Mac. "I haven't time for a big spread and Faust's is all right for a hurry up."

They lunched at Faust's—the nine. They had stopped at a bank where the man from Paducah had an account that he might draw some money for expenses.

At the same window Bobbie cashed the check for conversation with the victim which convinced the teller that the check was all right.

Mac ordered the lunch. There were three kinds of oysters before the oysters, then Rhine wine, then Burgundy, then champagne. The highway-men drank sparingly. Mamie not at all, but the man from Paducah took every glass that was set before him. He became boisterous and the head waiter hovered near. He sang and was invited to shut up. He tried to embrace Mamie who fled back to her typewriter.

The confidence men dwindled away until only Bobbie remained. He called for the bill and jollied the maudlin man from Paducah into paying the modest sum of \$35 for the luncheon. He called the head waiter near to witness the payment, for Bobbie was ever a cautious pirate who sailed to the windward. He hid the faltering footsteps of his victim to his hotel, submitted to be embraced in the lobby and told that his eyes were like stars and other things complimentary.

Then he went up to the office where, with Mamie, the pickpockets were laughing over the luncheon, the check and the contract.

"Suppose he sells the thousand tickets for \$5 each the contract compels him to sell, what can he do to us?" asked Mose. Now Mose didn't really belong; he was too pessimistic for such a gang of burglars. They laughed at him.

"Don't suppose," said Mac. "He can't. Paducah wouldn't buy 100, let alone 1000. If he sells the tickets we'll give the show."

"Mose can do a Franklin avenue stunt," said Bobbie, "and I'll dance."

"I'll sing," said Mamie.

"I'll run the front of the house," said Mac.

"Not if the gang is wise," said Charley.

"Cut it," Bobbie commanded.

"Cut it yourself," cried Mac. "Where's the dough?"

Bobbie drew out the roll and the gang gathered about him for a division of spoils. Mac got \$15, Bobbie got \$20, Mamie and the remaining five split the remainder.

"Who'd a thought it was so easy," said Carr jocosely. "Four hours ago the last 30 cents in the gang went for beer. Mac promised us a lunch at Faust's and that was the limit I set on the scheme, but look at my \$50 bundle."

"That won't last you a lifetime," said Bobbie sententiously.

"Not," said Mac. "Think of a new scheme. That incident is closed."

But in that Mac was mistaken. There is a sequel to every story.

September and Straw Hats.

Survival of the straw hat despite the unwritten edict which prescribes its disappearance on Sept. 1 is a circumstance which shows the disinclination of numerous citizens to regulate their dress entirely by the calendar. It would be eminently desirable if persons in charge of heating plants could likewise be induced to govern themselves by the thermometer rather than by tradition. The idea that people have no right to feel chilly before the first of October, no matter where the mercury stands, is a matter where the mercenary stands, in a matter where the family doctor and the corner druggist. It ought to be modified.—Chicago Chronicle.

Subbubs: I want to advertise: "Wanted, a plain cook for—"

Clerk: Pardon me, but they may resent that. Better say: "Girl wanted to do plain cooking—"

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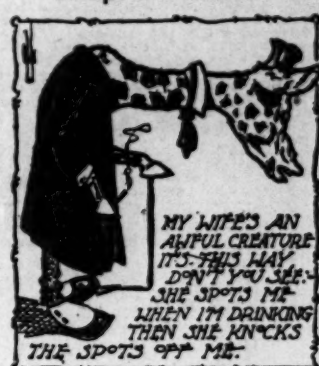
He: Those people in that next flat talk awfully loud, don't they?

She: Sh! They're talking about someone I know, and I can't hear a word they say when you're talking.—Detroit Free Press.

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